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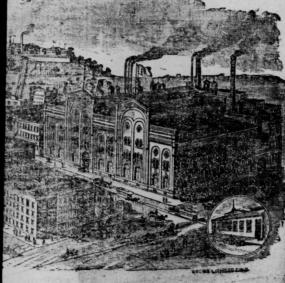
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## MR. BLAINE'S LETTER.

What the People Have to Say About It.

IS THE WRITER SINCERE?

Some Think Mr. Blaine Means What He Says.

PROMINENT MEN INTERVIEWED.

WHILE OTHERS SAY THAT IT IS A SHAM.

Comment of the Press

St. Louis, February 13 .- [Special.] - The Globe-Democrat has interviews with something over five hundred leading republicans, in all the northern, eastern, western and northwestern and southwestern states, and the genws: There is first of all, a general feeling of gladness- among republicans who favor party success rather than any one man's per-sonal triumph, that the old man of the sea has been lifted from the necks of the republican Sinbad. The belief is very general that Mr. Blaine is sincere, and that the people will take him at his word and let some other man forge his way to the front. All who take this view

ess for the party in 1888.

As to probable candidates most favored, the names suggested are Sherman, Lincoln, Sheridan, Gresham, Allison, Harrison and Hawley. It is remarkable how many of the parties interviewed favored Sheridan. There is much talk in this connection about Mr. Blaine's self-sacrifice and so forth.

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A second lot of interviewed parties believe Mr. Blaine's letter to mean that he will not except the nomination unless it is tendered to him by the unanimous vote of the convention and the approval of the other candidates. This feeling is particularly strong in Kansas. A third set of opinions are well expressed for their holders by General Alger, of Detroit, imself a possible candidate. He says:

"I am not greatly surprised at the Blaine let-ter and believe that it removes Mr. Blaine from the possibility of a nomination. While it has for some time past been clear that as the situation stood Mr. Blaine had a walk-over for in the party that did not want him nominated and this representation is strong enough to take him at his word and hold him there, if there was any desire on his part to take back what he has written. No, sir, that letter has been written for just what appears on its face. Perhaps it is the wisest thing that Mr. Blaine could do. Who can say? Iowa men think Blaine's withdrawel clears the track for Alli-

"New Jersey men are sorry for the letter. They believe protection to be the issue in the next campaign and think no one could present that issue like Blaine.

Maryland republicans believe Mr. Blaine's letter leaves the field clear for a united party and some conservative candidate.

ing is all but unanimous that Blaine will be eed to run, despite his letter. All the big Pittsburg iron men seem to think a protective tariff issue calls for Mr. Blaine as the candi-

The following are a few sample interviews: Congressman Butterworth, of Ohio, said:
"I think Mr. Blaine means to be sincere but he is in the hands of his friends, and if they can secure his nomination he will be a candidate. He reminds me of Julius Cæsar when refusing the crown offered him by Marc Antony. Each time he puts it by less firmly than before. I think, however, that his letter

will have the effect of bringing Senator Sher-man more prominently before the people, and perhaps securing his nomination. He is the unanimous choice of Ohio and would certainly be elected if nominated. But then Mr. Blaine has a great personal following and is by no politically dead. In the face of this, his declination is most manly, and was doubtless mpted by some private reason than any-

F. F. Baker, editor of the Topeka, Kans., Daily Commonwealth: "Blaine's withdrawal is timely, and I think wise, as his nomination would have meant another defeat, or at least, would have precipitated a defensive campaign. John Sherman can unite all the elements of the party, and he will receive the support of the vast business interests of New York and the whole country. The business men elected Cleveland, but they have grown distrustful to him since he has welded himself to the democracy. Cleveland can no longer count upon the moneyed interests of New York, which will be transferred to Sherman,

Mr. J. O. Winship, formerly a prominent politician in Maine, now practicing law in Co-

"The letter is bona fide and written in good faith, and from what I heard in Maine while recently there on a visit, I am not a bit surprised. I know positively from what I learned in Maine, that Blaine would not accept the nomination if offered him unanimously. While Blaine is ambitious, since Garfield's death he has been a changed man. That I know

"What I could say about Mr. Blaine's letter, would interest no one but myself. I am clean plump out of politics. I don't know anything about it, and am not interested in it. My pri-vate business is more to me than Mr. Blaine's

Ex-Congressman George A. Halsey, of Newark, N. J., one of Blaine's closest friends,

Well, I don't know what to say about the letter, but I do know that he was averse, four years ago, to be the candidate of our party. I ppose we must give up hope, if he will not our standard-bearer, but I am in favor of best and strongest man, we have. I don't be-lieve he will deeline the nomination if it is tendered to him by the unanimous vote of the convention. It is not true that Mr. Blaine convention. It is not true that Mr. Blaine wrote that he would not be a candidate for the presidency, but he did say before the last presidential campaign that he had personal reasons for not being a candidate. What those reasons are, I do not know, but I suppose they were the same that influence him now."

William E. Barrett, editor of the Boston Advertiser and Boston Record, who was interviewed at Washington, said:

"I have talked with the Massachuseits senators and representatives. The general sentiment among them is one of satisfaction at the

change of situation. Massachusetts will send to the Chicago convention a delegation of her was not for this reason that he declined reto the Chicago convention a deligation of strongest and most representative republicans, headed by Senator Hoar. The delegation will go unpledged and without bias, prepared to vote for what shall appear to be the best ticket, after the convention meets. The deleegation will go in the spirit which characterized that of 1880. My own feeling is that McKinley and Hawley would make a fine

ticket.
From interviews with other prominent republicans telegraphed here tonight, it appears that a majority of them were taken by surprise by the letter, and all sorts of opinions are expressed as to its real purpose. Ohio men are jubilant. They accept it at its face value and say it means Sherman for the republican can didate.

The Baltimore Herald editorially nominates The Haitimore Herald editorially nominates Roscoe Conkling.
The New York Evening Post says:
"We think that Mr. Blaine's letter to Chairman Jones does actually take him out of the field as a contestant for the republican nomination for the presidency. We think that this will be the effect and not the result of it, whether he so intended it or not."

This is also the opinion of Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania. A great many of Mr. Blaine's friends, however, assert that the letter don't change the situation at all, and some democrats express themselves the same way, but give different reasons for their belief or no reason at all beyond conviction.

VIEWS OF CONGRESSMEN.

WASHINGTON, February 13.—[Special.]— Mr. Blaine's letter announcing that he will not be a candidate before the national republican convention, has been the chief topic of conversation among both senators and represenatives today. The republicans, however, of course, manifest more interest in the letter than the democrats. Many republicans accept it as a sincere declaration that he has given up the race. Some republicans, and many democrats say he could not have made a more effective bid for the nomination, and regard it as affording no evidence that he will not be the republican candidate. I give below the views of some members as expressed to me

Senator Voorhees thinks the letter a very urgent appeal for the nomination, and an at-tempt to make his party unitedly and unaninously ask him to make the race. Senator Plumb, of Kansas, thinks it a sin-

cere withdrawal. Senator Berry, of Arkansas, has no faith in its sincerity. Senator Davis, of Minnesota, thinks it a frank withdrawal.

Senator Blair says he thinks Blaine means what he says, but his declination is a misfortune to the republican party. "Billy" Chandler thinks the letter a truthful

"Billy" Chandler thinks the letter a truthful avowal of his purpose not to become a candidate.

Senator Frye said—"I think the letter is exactly what it purports to be—an instruction to Mr. Blaine's friends not to present his name to the convention. It does not debar the convention from selecting him if it chooses."

Senator Farwell said: "In reading between the lines, I infer that Mr. Blaine has an ager desire for renomination. It seems to me that if it were Mr. Blaine's sincere intention to decline or refuse the nomination he would have signed his name at the end of the first paragraph."

raph."
Senator Chandler said: "Blaine's decision Senator Chandler said: "Blaine's decision not to run is in accordance with his constant declarations for a year and a half made to his most intimate friends. It is taken because he has been resolved not to undergo the labors and troubles and to incur the responsibilities involved in the candidacy. Beyond all question his decision is sincere and irrevocable."

In the house his friends among the republicans do not think the letter will prevent him from getting the nomination, and four out of five republicans express as their opinion that the letter was written in sincerity. However, all democrats do not believe likewise. In fact, only a few do, as will be shown in the following:

following:
Mr. Randall says that he thinks the general
mr. Randall says that he letter is real. Says he: "It is hard to tell anything about Blaine, but my opinion is that the letter was real. He means that he will not make the race, and I am inclined to think he means Mr. Holman, well known as the "watch

Mr. Holman, well known as the water dog" of the treasury, says: "The letter shows the confidence he has in his hold upon the re-publican party, and he will be nominated." Mr. Kelley, from the republican side, says he has no doubt that the letter is a sincere decla-

COLUMBUS, O., February 13.—John Sher man, who is in the city, on hearing that Mr. Blaine would not allow his name to be used before the Chicago convention, said that he had been expecting some such utterance from Mr. Blaine for some time. He had understood it would be forthcoming. Mr. Blaine was one of the foremost Americans, whom every republican would have delighted to honor, and it was a source of regret that he had concluded not to make the race again. Mr. Sherman did not care to talk much about Mr. Blaine's letter, and thought it would cause a number of other candidates to come to the front. He proposed to make the race for the Ohio delegation and would contest honorably for the nomination. Mr. Blaine was a republican who could sweep the country if nominated, but he understood all along that he would not again seek the nomination. It was on this hypothesis that he (Sherman) had entered the lists. COLUMBUS, O., February 13 .-- John Sher

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delegation:

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Mr. Norwood—It was merely a sham and
was done only to strengthen himself.

Mr. Blount believes he has been disappointed in his hopes of recovery of health and for
the reason that he does not believe himself
physically equal to the requirements of a campaign and knows that he can't be elected,
therefore he declines. He believes Sherman
will be the candidate.

Mr. Clements thinks it only an effort to test
his strength with his party. He believes he
wants to be a candidate and it depends upon
whether his party wants him or not.

Major Barnes says: "Blaine nowhere in his
letter says he won't accept the nomination if
tendered him. It appears to be an adroit
move on his part to withdraw temporarily
from the front and let aspirants running in the
rear slip to the front for the time being. When
this antagonism between them has waxed
warm he can again be brought forward as the
man around whom the whole party will
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Mr. Carlton thinks the letter means nothing as far as his candidacy goes. He has in his letter very adroitly laid down the platform of his party which he wrote for the purpose of strengthening himself. The letter will undoubtedly cause his party to nominate him.

Judge Crisp says he does not like to accuse Mr. Blaine of insincerity, but he is a politicism and wrote the letter believing it will strengthen him with his party. The republicans seem to think he is earnest, but they will be compelled to nominate him.

The former seems to think Mr. Blaine is not in earnest, but is working for the best interests of his party, knowing they will have to nominate him.

—Mr. Blaine's Reasons.

Pittsburg, February 13.—B. F. Jones, chairman of the republican national committee, was interviewed by a Chronicle-Telegraph reporter this afterpoon on Mr. Blaine's letter of declination. Mr. Jones stated that

nomination. "His trip," said he, "has been wonderfully beneficia". I have had many letters from him and in nearly all of them he has spoken of his health and said he was entirely recovered. No, sir, it is not ill-health nor fear of the result, or the worry and strain of another campaign which impelled Mr. Blanie to write that letter."

"Will you tell what Mr. Blaine's reasons are"

"As given to me at the time to which Mr.

"As given to me at the time to which Mr. Blaine refers, the reasons were these: "Before the nomination by the republicans in 1876 Mr. Blaine was very auxious to obtain the presidency, and worked for it with the aid of his friends. He was disappointed when it went to another man in the manner it did. In 1880 he was till anxious, although in a lesser degree, and his disappointment was less marked. In 1884 he had to a great extent best the desire for the office, and now he withdraws from the coutest because he has no wish to become president. He takes a keen interest in literary work and wants rest and quiet. I assure you these are the only reasons for Mr. Blaine's letter that are known to me. Everybody sooner or later loses the desire for somebody sooner or later loses the desire for some-thing which they were once anxious to obtain, and this is entirely true in the case of Mr. Blaine."

"Is not Mr. Blaine's letter somewhat incon

"Is not Mr. Blaine's letter somewhat inconsistent with the actions of friends, presumably with his consent, in working for the control of state delegations and committees?"

"No sir, it is not inconsistent. No such work has been done by us. Of course I have received countless letters on this subject from people north, south, east and west. Mr. Blaine's friends have not sought to set up or secure a single delegate anywhere. We have made no concerted action. There has been no meeting to map out a course favorable to Mr. Blaine, and I assure you that whatever has been done by the admirers of Mr. Blaine has been done on their own account, and not at the instance of his close friends. We have done nothing to secure the nomination for Mr. Blaine. When people write to me on the subject I send them in reply the call of the convention as issued by the committee, and some extracts from papers of the convention of 1834. I have written no letters in Mr. Blaine's interest."

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mittee?"
"It was not. The letter was received by me on Tuesday last, it having come directly from Florence to me. It was entirely in Mr Blaine's handwriting. As you see, by its opening sontence, it was intended for the republican party. I did not tell anybody of its existence until Friday. Even a man as close to Mr. Blaine as Stephen B. Elkins knew nothing of the existence of this letter until this morning."

republican national committee, in commenting on Mr. Blaine's letter, said: "I think Blaine is perfectly sincere in what he says, but I do not think his withdrawal will prevent his nomination or his acceptance of prevent his nomination or his acceptance of the nomination if thrust upon him. He owes too much to the republican party for that. The issue next year will be tariff vs. free-trade, and as Blaine is the strongest exponent of the pro-tection system now before the people, it would not surprise me to see him nominated in spite of all."

TALKS WITH ATLANTIANS.

everal Prominent Republibans Interviewed About the Letter.
The Blaine letter and Chairman A. E. Buck's call for a meeting of the republican state executive committee excited much interest yesterday. A Constitution reporter climbed the grand stairway at the custombouse yesterday afternoon, and in about two minutes stood in the cosy office of Colonel A. E. Buck, the chairman of the state executive com-

"Come right in," said the colonel, "and take a chair.'

mittee of the republican party of Georgia.

The reporter sank languidly into a luxurious leather-bottomed chair.
"Colonel, I have come to ask you—"
"I know what you want," blandly put in Colonel Buck. "You want an interview, m Coloner Buck. "Jou want an interview, and you are about the tenth gentleman of the press who has called on me today. Well—"
"That's right, colonel. I want to know what you think of the Blaine letter printed in

today's Constitution."
"Now, you know that I am always very glad to give the newspaper boys anything in the form of news, but I am afraid you will find me very scarce of the article today. The Blaine letter, eh? It was in today's Constitution; this morning you say?"
"Yes."

"Yes-"
"Well, now I usually read THE CONSTITUTION very closely, but the fact is that I have been so very busy all day that I have not read the Blaine letter yet, that is to say, I have not minion on

merits."
"He says that he is not a candidate for the "He says that he is not a candidate for the presidential nomination. Now, what do you think of that?"

"Why, if he says that, I must say that I presume he means exactly what he says. It must be so."

"Suppose that he should be nominated any-how—do you think that he would accept the momination?" nomination?"
"I really don't know. I cannot form an opinion because I have not carefully read his

"Have you ever known a man who was nominated for the presidency to decline to acnominated for the presidency to decline to accept it?"

"Can't say that I have. But of course, I cannot say what Mr. Blaine would do. I don't know. You say that Mr. Blaine declares that he is not a candidate?"

he is not a candidate?"
"Yes, sir."
"Well, I have never understood from him that he is a candidate. I believe a gentleman did tell me today that Mr. Blaine said in his letter that his name would not be before the convention. I must read that letter carefully, and then I will be prepared to give an intelligent opinion on the subject."
"I see, colonel, that you have issued a call for a meeting of the republican state executive committee?"

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"Yes. That committee will meet in Atlanta on the 25th of this month."

"For what purpose?"

"To fix the time for the meeting of the convention of the republican party of Georgia, which will assemble to select delegates to the national convention, to name electors, and to nominate candidates for the various state offices, if it is determined to run a ticket."

"Do you think that the republicans of Georgia will make a fight for the state offices."

"I don't know. I can't tell what will be done yet. I don't know whether they will nominate a state ticket or candidates for congress in the various districts. The truth is, nothing has been determined yet in regard to these matters. I can't say what the convention will do. You know, as chairman of the state executive committee of the party, I simply call that committee together, and then they name the time for the meeting of the convention."

"Who is your preference, colonel, for the

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Cokepel A. L. Harris—I have never believed Blaine would be a candidate and his letter strengthens my convictions. I do not believe Conkling would permit Blaine to carry New York if he could prevent it. If the whole party vote is given to one man, it will not be much trouble to elect any good man, but I think the nomination will fall on Sherman or Allison. I think Ceveland has a great surprise in store for the people. I am of the opinion that he will allow his name to go before the convention, and when he is nominated will decline the nomination.

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General J. R. Lewis—I have thought for a ong time that Blaine would not be a candidate, and his letter is not a surprise to me. Of course his object is to promote party union. He is well aware of a certain opposition there is to his candidacy, and he desires to secure party union even at the sacrifice of his own nomination. I think if the party units on a good candidate, the chances of success are first-class.

Mr. J. C. Kimball—Mr. Blaine's letter is unmistakable evidence to me that he places party success above personal preferment. To unmistakable evidence to me that he places party success above personal preferment. To me it is the most hopeful indication, as it must be to every republican, of the success of the republican party in 1838, as upon that letter factional discord is obliged to disappear. The party will reunite, harmonize upon some good man and elget him by a clean majority. His statement of the issue presented by Mr. Cleveland's message on the tariff question is exactly what the republican party wants. I

Dr. J. A. Burns—Upon Blaine's letter, which is practically an appeal for harmony in the party and the issue of protection drawn out by the president's message, the republican party will elect the next president.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS. Editorials of the Times, Sun, Herald and Tribune. New York, February 13.—[Special.]—The New York Times, in its editorial tomorrow,

New York, February 13.—[Special.]—The New York Times, in its editorial tomorrow, will say:

Whatever reasons Mr. Blaine and his friends have to be pleased with the reception of his letter from Florence, pride in his reputation as a sincere and truthul man cannot be among them. It would not be easy to name any prominent public man in either party from whom a document of this sort would be interpreted with so much and so general doubt as to whether its writer meant what he said or said all that he meant. The question that everybody is asking is not "what are to be the consequences of the disappearance of Mr. Blaine as a possible republican candidate," but the far different and unfattering question, "Is he really offf." And for the solution of this highly interesting problem the study of the letter itself affords very little material. On the contrary, it is plain from the varying opinions of men prominent in the republican party, and possessed of as good means as exist, to discover the real significance of the letter, that the longer and more carefully they study it the less sure they are that they know Mr. Blaine's actual intention in writing. The first thing that strikes every reader of the letter, is, as we pointed out yesterday morning, that he does not say that he will, under no circumstances, be the candidate of his party. If that was what he meant, nothing would have been easier than for him to say so in words that no one could mistake, ignore or deny, in recognifying the general uncertainty of the meaning of Mr. Blaine's letter, we do not wish to be understool as accussing him of duplicity. He has not convinced either his friends or his opponents that he will not accept a nomination, nor has he succeeded, if he wished to do so, in making the nomination possible. Fer all practical purposes, therefore, the situation is not mater ally changed.

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Mr. Blaine's withdrawal from the canvass is no surprise to unprejudiced observers. It is unquestionably sincere and decisive. No expectation need be entertained that the admirers and ardent personal friends of Mr. Blaine will be able to put the monthation upon him in spite of his refusal. He is positively and finally out of the running. There are several reasons which establish this proposition. In the first place there is no possible cause for the withdrawal, except the clear and settled purpose of its author, that he will no longer be a candidate. Secondly, Mr. Blaine is a sincere person, and deception on such a subject is not merely below his dignity; it is contray to bis habit. In the third place, to ere is in his case no occasion for a sham withdrawal. It could not add anything to his popularity or his ab lity to obtain the nomination. Fourthly, a sham withdrawal would be fatal to the main part occ. If, after having declined, Mr. Blaine should consent under any stress of party compulsion to accept the nomination and to stand as a candidate, the fact that he had once withdrawn would settle the election against him beforehand. The withdrawal is creditable to Mr. Blaine. It shows that he possesses an elevation of ambittion and patriotism to his party which forbids him to subject it to the risk of defeat for the mere purpose

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The Tribune says:

Mr. Blaine's review of the political prospects is open to one criticism. The victories of the past year, which he recites, and the surprising gains made by the republican party in many states, were achieved with the general expectation he would be the candidate of the republican party this year. Ninety-nine out of a hundred voters, whether friends or foes, looked upen Mr. Blaine's nomination as certain, and votes were cast against republican tickets for that reason only, while others were cast for republican tickets which would not have been so cast but for this expectation. No man can say with certainty how far this prospect influenced the strength on either side—whether the number brought to the republican party by the popularity of its leader exceeded the number cast against it in order to compass his defeat or withdrawal, opinions will differ widely. We believe that the expectation of Mr. Blaine's nomination increase I the strength of the republican party, as a whole, to a considerable extent. One thing is to be remembered, that Mr. Blaine's withdrawal may have much to do with the democratic nomination. Mr. Cleveland has been opposed by some democratis because they believe he would lose a large number of democratic votes in case of Mr. Blaine's nomination. That reason for setting him aside is now out of the way, so far as Baine's letter can remove it. On the other hand, there were some democrats who favored his nomination because they thought the prestige of the previous success would help him against Blaine. They have now to consider that he would not, on that account, be strong against a different candidate. The events of the next few weeks in the democratic camps will have much to do with the final d

will increase the democratic opposition to Mr. Clevelana.

The Herald will say:

"We choose to believe that Mr. Blaine meant what he said when he tormally withdrew from the presidential race. The language used admits of only one fair interpretation. If any other interpretation is put upon it by his followers, they thereby accuse him of trifling with the common sense and honor of the American people. Mr. Depew, for exemple, is reported as saying:

"Mr. Blaine's declination will not necessarily prevent his friends from nominating him, neitner will it prevent him from accepting a nomination should it be given him."

That is to say, Mr. Blaine may be playing a very desjecate and despicable political game, or, in other words, may be trying to gain by finesse what he knows he cannot obtain on the merits of the case. All right, if those who are close te Mr. Blaine and are best acquainted with his methods see fit to arraigh him before the bar of public opinion as an unscrupulous political trickster, who plays a letter of withdrawal as a trump card to secure his nomination, that is their business—they must settle the matter with their leaders. We take a different view. Mr. Blaine's retirement is a forced acknowledgement of the good work done by a democratic administration. It is an unconditional surrender to the inevitable. It is simply his way of saying that what he knows he can't do he will not try to do. His quick eye has seen unpleasant prognostics and he anticipates the verdict of November by with-drawning from the contest.

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these matters. I can't say what the convention will do. You know, as chairman of the state executive committee of the party, I simply call that committee together, and then they name the time for the meeting of the convention."

"Who is your preference, colonel, for the presidency."

"It would not be proper for me to express a preference. Can't say that I have any. All I want is for the republican party of Georgia to come together, and to act in perfect harmony. I believe that this will be done; that the convention will meet and select good delegates to vote for a good man in the national convention."

"What do you know, colonel?"

"Well, I don't know much right now, but things are working, and in a short time I will be in a position to give The Constitution an interview that will be very interesting reading."

Major Watson, treasurer of the Western and Atlantic road -I have always hoped to see Mr. Blaine president sometime, but since reading his letter I do not think he will be a candidate in the coming contest. I expect, for the success of the party, ha has taken the proper course. If the republican factions come together on a good the republican factions come together on a good the relations of the party, has has taken the proper course. If the republican factions come together on a good the republican factions come together on a good the relation of the party, has has taken the proper course. If the republican factions come together on a good the relation of the party has has taken the proper course. If the republican factions come together on a good the relation of the party has has taken the proper course. If the republican factions come together on a good the relation of the party has has taken the proper course. If the republican factions come together on a good the relation of the party has has taken the proper course. If the republican factions come together on a good the president years that he doesn't mind the proper course. If the party has the proper course. If the party has the proper course. If

### GEORGIA RIVERS

That Need Improving to Make Them Navigable.

THE AMOUNT OF MONEY NECESSARY

Government for Damage Done During the War-Other Gossip.

Washington, February 13.—[Special.]— President Cleveland has practically decided to spend a few days in Florida during the present menth, and unless unforseen circumstances should arise, he will probably leave here next Monday and be absent about a week. Representative Davidson called on him Satur and assured him if he and Mrs. Cleveland would consent to make the trip, a committee would come here to make all arrangements. While he has not said definitely what he would do, he led Mr. Davidson to believe that he would accept his invitation. He will probably spend a few hours in Savannah.

ASKING FOR APPROPRIATIONS To appropriate \$97,000 for the completion of

the improvement of the Cocsa river; \$500,000 for the further improvement of the same river between Greensport and Wetumpka, Ala., at this point being the only obstruction of navigation between Rome and Mobile; also, a bill appropriate \$20,000 to improve the channels of the Oostanaula and Coosa rivers.

The committee on territories did not comto a decision on the question of admitting the four territories—Washington, Montana, New Mexico and Dakota-to the union on account of the absence of Mr. Baker, who introduced the bill to divide Dakota and admit the south. the committee will decide upon a report at

Mr. Gaines, of Virginia, today introduced a bill in the house to refund to all who had mail contracts with the United States government n the years of 1859, 1860 and 1861, the amount due them, making in all a total of \$375,000. If Alabama, Florida, Tennessee, North and GEORGIA CLAIMANTS.

Mr. Blount today introduced nearly a hundred bills in the house authorizing claimants against the general government in Georgia, whose property was taken during the war, to go before the court of claims and establish their rights. Among the claimants are Henry Field, of Savannah; W. H. Parker, of Monroe; James A. Carden, of Whitfield; Asa Braswell, of DeKalb; J. H. Bray, of Lily Pond; James Price, Upson county; Nicholas Rawlings, of Rome; Ben Haygood, of Monroe; Peter Lynch, of Fulton county; Z. C. Baker, of De-Kalb county; L. L. Malone, of Screven county, and many others, the most of which are old bills.

Mr. Norwood today appeared before the committee on rivers and harbors, and arranged that delegations from both Savannah and Brunswick should be heard on Wednesday or Thursday. The Savannah delegation want \$600,000 in order to deepen their harbor to twenty-eight feet. Brunswick only wants a few thousand to make a few slight improvements in her harbor. If Georgia gets all she has asked for her rivers and harbors this session, she will distance all competitive states About one-third of the amount asked in each About one-third of the amount asked in each case will probably be appropriated.

Both Senator Colquitt and Mr. Blount have returned. Senator Brown and Judge Stewart are expected tomorrow or Wednesday.

E. W. B.

FLOWERS FOR RIDDLEBERGER, The Clan-Na-Gael Presents Him With a Harp-Proceedings of the Senate. Washington, February 13.—In the senate, Mr. Riddleberger's fight against secret sessions

Mr. Riddleberger's fight against secret sessions in general, and against the British extradition treaty in particular, was recognized in the shape of a large and very handsome floral harp placed on his desk this morning by an Irish society called Clan-Na-Gael.

Among the petitions and memorials presented and referred were the following:

To place on the free list books printed in any of the modern foreign languages.

To amend the patent laws in relation to innocent users of patented articles,

For an international copyright law.

Among the bills reported from committees and placed on the calendar was one appropriating \$10,000 for the Sub-Tropical exposition at Jacksonville, Fla.

Among the bills introduced and referred was one by Mr. Platt to pay for the passage of General LaFayette and his family from France to the United States as guests of the nation in 1824.

By Mr. Vest, to fix the number of docu-By Mr. Vest, to fix the number of documents printed by congress, and known as "the usual number," at 700; and to specify the number of certain documents to be printed.

Mr. Morgan offered a resolution, which was laid over, instructing the judiciary committee to inquire and report whether congress has power to enact laws to prohibit within the states the adulteration of food, and whether, if such power exists, it is a part of the power of taxation, or results from the power to regulate commerce between the states.

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The senate then proceeded to the consideration of the Blair educational bill, and was addressed by Mr. Plumb in opposition to it. The bill was laid aside and the resolution in regard to the inefficiency of the postoffice service was taken un.

aken up.
Mr. Reagan addressed the senate in defence Mr. Reagan addressed the senate in defence of the administration of the postoffice department and argued that the senators who had arraigned that administration had been misled by false claims, or that in consequence of the economical and conspicuously good management of the department, it had been thought necessary for political purposes, to offset its effect by getting up charges of inefficiency. In the course of his argument he undertook to repel the assertion that very numerous removals from office in the department had been made for political motives, and he

merous removals from office in the department had been made for political motives, and he gave the number of postmasters who had left office by "resignation."

Mr. Hoar asked Mr. Reagan whether he really claimed or believed that those resignations were voluntary, and were not commanded by the president.

Mr. Reagan replied that his only source of information on the subject was the report of the postmaster-general, in which he spoke of these as "voluntary resignations." There had been very few removals for political reasons, and these few were for active offensive partisanship. ship. Mr. Hoar remarked that the statement showed a very extraordinary instance of voluntary resignations of office.
Mr. Reagan—No doubt the postmaster-general has done a great many things which seem very extraordinary to the senator from Massachnsetts.

chusetts.—
Mr. Hoar—A great many.
Senators Chase and Aldrich endeavored, without success, to get Mr. Reagan' to state why the postmaster of Providence, R. I., had been removed from office in the face of the fact that the management of that postoffice had been highly approved by the postmaster-general. The resolution went over.

The senate adjourned.

LIBERTY OF THE PRESS. Bill in the House to Punish the Publica

tion of Lottery Tickets. Washington, February 13.—In the house Mr. Brower, of North Carolina, introduced a resolution instructing the committee on ways and means to report what progress it has made in the consideration of bills repealing the internal revenue taxes, and to state at what time such bills are likely to be reported to the house.

In case the committee is unable to agree upon these bills, it is instructed to report that fact to the house, and bills shall be placed on the

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The first bill called up was one punishing the advertising of lottery tickets in the Diatrict of Columbia. It was opposed by Mr. Rogers, of Arkanasa, upon constitutional grounds. "The bill would," he said, "brevent any paper, no matter where published, from coming into the district, and would infringe upon the liberty of the press."

Mr. Hemphill, of South Carolina, did not agree that the provisions of the bill applied to any paper published outside of the district, but admitted that that was a question upon which the best lawyers might differ.

Mr. Compton declared that he was not an advocate of lotteries, but he did not beliève that souls could be sent to heaven by compulsory legislation. Society could only be regonerated by principles inculcated by Christian mothers.

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Mr. Browne, of Indiana, said that according to his interpretation of the bill, its provisions applied as much to papers published in Maryland or New York, circulating in the district of Columbia, as to papers published in the district; but with that interpretation he indorsed the bill fully and without reservation.

Mr. Crain, of Texas, took issue with the argument that every scheme of chance was necessarily crime. He did not believe that a lottery which was authorized by the organic have of a state of the union belonged to the category of crime.

mw of a state of the union belonged to the cat-egory of crime.

Mr. Cummings, of New York, looking at the bill not as a lawyer, but as a man who pre-tended to have a modicum of common sense, thought that there was too much law in it. tended to have a modicum of common sense, thought that there was too much law in it. In trying to correct an admitted evil, the house was opening the doors to a greater evil. The bill appeared to contain some of the ashes of the old alien and sedition laws. These laws not only interfered with the liberty of the press, but also interfered—as the pending bill did—with the liberty of the press, but also interfered—as the pending bill did—with the liberty of the person. Nor was this the first time that these ashes had been stirred up by congress. They had been stirred under the administration of Grant, when the United States senate had passed a bill to abridge the freedom of the press. Under the provisions of that bill the editor of the most obscure newspaper in the most obscure corner of the most obscure state could be dragged to the District of Columbia and subjected to fine and imprisonment by petty local tribunals. There was the same seed in this bill. It not only trampled on the freedom of the press and of person, but it trampled on the rights of states. The bill was clear in its provisions. It applied undoubtedly to papers published outside, but circulating in the District of Columbia. If congress had the right to prescribe what should be printed in the advertisement column of a newspaper, it had the right to exercise censorship over the editorial and news columns. Congress was then to exercise ediercise censorship over the editorial and news columns. Congress was then to exercise edicolumns. Congress was then to exercise editorial supervision over the entire press. Who was to be editor-in-chief—the distinguished gentleman at the other end of the avenue? Who was to be city editor—was it to be the speaker of the house? Who were to be the reporters—the chairmen of committees? Where was the editorial supervision to end? The house was playing with fire. It had better blow out the match and avoid the conflagration.

or now out the match and avoid the confagration.

Mr. Oates, of Alabama, thought the bill applied only to papers published in the district, and on this ground opposed it, as creating an unjust discrimination.

Mr. Dougherty, of Florida, opposed the measure for a similar reason. If congress could establish a censorship of the press, which would prevent reporters from lying about public men and private individuals, he. for one. would prevent reporters from lying about pub-lic mey and private individuals, he, for one, would certainly vote to do so, because he had never seen anything so offensive to the sonse of public morality in any lettery advertisement as he had seen in the expressed opinion of newspaper reporters published as facts. If congress could pass a bill which would require editors to confine themselves to a statement of facts instead of pushing their individual opin-ions as facts, it would redound to the good and welfare of all people.

Bills introduced by Mr. Townsend, permit-Bills introduced by Mr. Townsend, perhitting farmers and producers of tobacco to self leaf tobacco in any quantity to unlicensed dealers, or to any person without restriction, and repealing all laws inconsistent therewith.

A number of public buildings bills wore introduced, among them one for Pensacola,

Fla.

The house then proceeded to the considera-

bia.

Mr. Latham, of North Carolina, while expressing his bitter hostility to lotteries, denied the power of congress to cuact legislation to diffuse morality among the human race.

On motion of Mr. Cain, the bill was referred to the committee on judiciary. Yeas 117, nays

The house adjourned. WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

The Discharged Midshipmen-Nominations by the President.

Washington, February 13.—The court of claims today rendered a decision sustaining the legality of Secretary Chandler's action in discharging with one years' pay from June 30, 1885, about forty cadet midshipmen, who had served a six years course at the naval academy and at sea, but for whom no vacancies evisted in the service at the time of their academy and at sea, but for whom he vacan-cies existed in the service at the time of their graduation. The question arose on a suit of Eugene M. Harmon, for salary as a cadet mid-shipman from the date of his discharge up to time of filing his claim, November 1, 1887. The court held that the secretary acted with full authority of law in the matter and dismissed the case.

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The president today nominated Alexander McCue, of New York, to be assistant-treasurer of the United States at New York city, in the place of Charles J. Canda, resigned. Fernandino J. Moreno, of Florida, to be marshal of the United States for the southern district of Florida, and Miss Ella Lewis, postmaster at Gallatin, Tennessee.

Decatur's Progress.

DECATUR, Ala., February 13.—[Special.]— Ground was broken today for the grading and excavating for the works of the United States excavating for the works of the United States Rolling Stock company, that are to be removed from Urbana, O., to this place. Fifty acres will be graded for the tracks and buildings of this company. The president of the Land company closed a contract teday for the removal of a large furniture factory from Gainesville, Ga., to this place. This is the second factery of the kind located within a few months. The second of the excursions of eastern. capitalists to this place is on the way and will reach the city tomorrow. The town is full of strangers from the north and west.

Hydrophobia in Alabama

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Anniston, Ala., February 13.—[Special.]—
About December 1st, Mr. James Ford, who resides near Eastaboga, was bitten in the hand by his yard dog. At the same time three of his cattle were bitten. Since that time two of the cattle have died, and the other is wild with the rables. Early last week the first symptoms of hydrophobia made its appearance with Mr. Ford, growing worse until yesterday it was pronounced by physicians and proved a clearly developed case with spasms in rapid succession. The whole country around the place is wild with excitement.

Drowned in a Reservoir.

The senate adjourned.

Storm, Hall and Ripe Tomatoes.

CLEYRIAND, Fla., February 13.—[Special].—It rained every day last week. There was quite a storm of hall Tuesday. Major Willams's house was blown down and the major was hurt, but not seriously. Our gardens are looking fine, and there are plenty of ripe tomatoes.

Drowned in a Reservoir.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.. February 13.—[Special.]—Tonight at 8 o'clock Samuel Williams was walking in the vicinity of the reservoir when he got lost in the darkness and walked off into the water, which was about 15 feet deep. No one being near at the time he was unable to get out and was drowned. A large crowd of people are fishing for his body, which will probably be found by midnight.

PREPARING FOR THE STATE FAIR. etting Cheap Rates from the Railroads mment on Judge Speer's Address to the Florida Bar, Etc. Etc.

MACON, Ga., February 13.-[Special.]-A Constitution man strayed around to the United States court rooms this morning and had the pleasure of a few minutes' chat with Marshal Lamar, of the southern district of Georgia, who has just returned from Jacksonwhere he went to hear Judge Speer's address, the relations of the press, to the administrations of justice, before the State bar asso-

answer to the question, "how did the people of Florida take to Judge Speer's address," Colonel Lamar said: "The large as-sembly present at the Park opera house was perfectly carried away with him; his splendid delivery and charming manner won his audience with the first words he spoke. When you came in I was just reading a sketch of the address in today's Constitution, which was admirably selected from the full report, which would have made over six columns had it all been published."

n't you tell me something about your stay, and your impression of the 'land of flow-

Well, sir," remarked the colonel, "in all of my travels I have never met a class of people more hospitable, social and agreeable before, and their being so highly impressed with

and their being so highly impressed with Judge Speer, made me love them all the more.

"Although the address was made before the State Bar association but a few days ago, it has been published by almost the entire press of Florida and Georgia. which is one of the highest tributes that could be paid him.

"On our way home we stopped a few days at the new hotel at St. Augustine, which at present is one of the main topics of conversation all over the union. It is almost impossible for one to imagine that they are on earth and in a place constructed by human hands when 'taking in the sights' of this, the finest hotel in the world. I also attended the Sub-Tropical exposition, and I must say that this far surpassed my expectation in every way, and nothing but the highest kind of praise can be said of it. Yes, sir; I am immensely pleased with my trip and every thing connected with it." Yes, sir; I am immensely pleased with p and every thing connected with it."

Obtained the Appropriation.

Macox, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Two weeks ago Professor W. D. Williams, principal of the Georgia state academy for the blind, went to Washington City to confer with the congressional committee on education, for the purpose of making a streng netition for an appropriation of about fifty thousand dollars to be used for the bigher education of the blind. Professor Williams is president of the blind association of the United States, and he appeared before the committee with the most distinguished educators of the blind, and ably presented their claim in a firm manner, stating the academies for the blind up to this time do not furnish a complete higher course of study, as many pupils desired; that this was caused by the insufficient sum of finances, also that if the appropriation which was petitioned for is granted it would be a great blessing for a thousand blind students who desired this higher course.

The appeal was nobly made, and granted as nobly. At last the men who run the machinery of our country are awakening up to the true needs of those who are afflicted, but long for the comforts that education afford. Obtained the Appropriation

Macon, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—At the recorder's court this morning, several vagrants were fined very heavily. If we have no black list, such as they do in Atlanta, we manage to get there just the same. A negro dude who signs his name as Frank Walker Davis was ordered to betake himself to the chaingang, and there remain for a couple of months.

Alexander Johnson, colored, will rest in the ty prison for twenty days', drunk and disorlely as usual.

Charles Brooks was more fortunate than one of the others, and paid \$15 rather than

Behind the Bars.

Macon, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Willie Thomas, colored, is one of these regular necktie fellows, that swings a buck horn headed stick, and promenades aroudd the streets, making a regular walking, chromo of himself. This morning he tackled a Cotton avenue butcher concerning something he said about his wife, and would have got the worst of it, had his stick come to his relief, with which he man's head. At present he is behind the bars, where he can meditate both by day and by night as to his past folly.

The Thalians.

Macon, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—The Thalians will give a dance at Masonic hall tomorrow evening. Since the Volunteers' armory has been changed into the reception rooms of the Macon club, the Thalians have been without a suitable dancing hall, and have had to move about from pillar to post. As Masonic hall is soon to be cut up and used as offices, they will be without a pillar or a post, so to speak, and will have to fall back on the private residences, only two of which have dancing halls.

He is resting very well this morning. He says his frome is at Maxeys, Ga.

Lithoula and Her Boom.

Good Street Work. Good Street Work.

Macon, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Some elegant work in the way of street raising and grading is being done on First, between Walnut and Cherry. From Mulberry, going south, for the distance of several hundred yards, an entirely new road bed has been built, which is thirty four feet wide and two feet higher than the old one. Superintendent Simpson has just finished grading Mulberry street, from First to Georgia avenue; the former average level has been raised about eighten inches, which greatly improves it.

Macon, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—The public will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Rutherford, wife of the late John C. Rutherford, who was a member of the Macon bar. She had been sick fer some time, but her condition was not regarded as dangerous until last week.

The funeral will occur from the residence tomorrow morning, at eleven o'clock. Mrs. Rutherford will be greatly missed by her large circle of friends and acquaintances in the city.

A Delightful Lecture.

MACON, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Yestepday afterneon in the assembly room of the Young Men's Christian Jassociation, Rev. J. R. Winchester delivered a very interesting and likewise delightful lecture to men. The room was crewded and the lecture was enjoyed, as Mr. Winchester is a very powerful and forcible speaker, knowing how to talk to the men.

The Agricultural Convention.

Wayeross, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—
Belegates are arriving by every train. About
100 already here, among whom are Commissioner Henderson, Captain S. D. Bradwell,
and J. O. Waddell. The committee of arrangements are prepared to accommodate 250.

The courthouse has been selected as the place where the sessions will be held, and has been decorated with evergreens and agricultural products, bunches of twiregrass, the emblem of south Georgia, being conspicuous among them. President Northern, Treasurer Powell, Secretary Greer are expected tonight.

Mr. Potter Breaks an Arm.

Mr. Potter Breaks an Arm. ATHENS, Ga., Fobruary 13.—[Special.]—Mr. Potter, a prominent farmer of Oglethorpe county, had the misfortune of breaking his arm on Saturday last. Mr. Potter was working around the gin when his arm-came in contact with the heavy belt from the engine. Dr. Carter bound the broken member in place again, and at last accounts Mr. Potter was doing very well.

FITS: All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No Fits after first day's use. Treatise and \$2.00 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch 32cst, Philadelphia, Pn.,

A TALK WITH PRESIDENT NORTHEN On the Outlook for the State Fair Next

On the Outlook for the State Fair Next October.

Macon, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Hon. W. J. Northen, president of the Georgia State Agricultural society, spent a few hours in the city on his way to Waycross, where he will attend the meeting of several hundred representatives of the society during the next thirty days. In answer to various questions concerning the coming state fair, he gave the following information as gained in his recent travels through the state. While in Savannah all satisfaction was gained in regard to freight and passenger rates on the Central railroad system. All exhibits will be passed free of charge, together with their exhibitors. The passenger rates will be lower than ever before, and the accommodations perfect. The many different counties visited are fully aroused and are actively engaged at this date in preparing for the greatest state fair ever held, which will open here some time in October. The meetings in Waycross will be celebrated as the most harmonious and enthusiastic farmers' convention ever held in this state. The deep depression of the low spirited farmers will be enlivened, and more honest endeavors to win a prominent place in the agricultural world will be the mark to run for by all. Counties only known by their name on the state map will be manifested by large displays, and thus the whole state, farmers and merchants, have awakened from their slumbers nearly equal to old Rip's. Look out for a marvelous reality of an unheard of thing—a bona fide, genuine state fair. Messrs. S. Barrett, J. M. Edwards, Dr. W. H. Hall and James Cook, representing Baldwin county, accompany Mr. Northen.

The dummy line matter has assumed a more definite shape. A stock company of about twenty-five residents and non-residents has been organized with a cash capital of about one bundered thousand dollars. This company is the same as the regular dummy line company with an addition of a large amount of northern capital. A proposition was made to buy the present Macon city and suburban rail-

pany, with an addition of a large amount of northern capital. A proposition was made to buy the present Macon city and suburban railway company and consolidate the two, but this proved fruitless. But the new company has obtained the charter of the first dummy line company as projected several years ago; also the Vineville company and so now the matter is settled—work will be commenced at once. The starting point will be at the laboratory beyond Vineville, thence to the bridge at the entrance of Vineville, At this point a road will branch off togo to Hugenen Heights. The main line will run to the Hotel Lanier on Mulberry street.

She is Held in High Esteem

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GAINESVILLE, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]
Universal regret, amounting with many to indignation, is expressed at the sudden and unkind removal of Miss Lizzie Poullain from position of tulegraph operator in Gainesville. She came among us a stranger two years ago, and by her ardent devotion to duty and kindness to everybody, has greatly endeared herself to our people. A long petition, signed by many, if not all our prominent business men, was sent on to headquarters begging her continuance in the office, but was of no avail. The testimony of all our business men is that never timance in the office, but was of no avail. The testimony of all our business men is that never during the history of the office has their work been done with such dispatch and satisfaction as by her—and this, be it said to her credit, is the cause of her removal. She insisted on getting hold of the lines and holding on till she had put her messages through, when bigger and more important offices were trying to get command of the lines. Once in awhile, in this old world of ours, persons are sufferes for faithfulness to duty, and this is one of the cases. Had she been less faithful she had retained her position.

Mrs. Phillips's Mad Jump.

Hogansville, Ga., February 13.—[Special.] A most heartrending occurrence happened in Mountville, a village on the LaGrange and Greenville road, in Troup county, yesterday. Mrs. Belle Phillips, wife of Mr. William Phillips, a farmer, from partial insanity, jumped in the well, forty-five feet deep, breaking both legs just above the knee. By timely notice she was taken out alive, but in a dying condi-tion. At this writing it is not known whether she yet survives or not, but must assuredly die from her fractured limbs and many other bruises, all serious.

Gainesville and Her Churches.

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Gainesville, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—The people of Gainesville are remarkable for their attendance at church, but few towns of its size furnish such large congregations. The Presbytorians have lately finished a beautiful and commodious house of worship, an ornament to the town and a credit to the congregation. It stands as a monument to the energy and devotion of their late pastor, Rev. J. H. Dixon, who to the regret of his many friends here, lately resigned and accepted a pastorate in Sparta, Ga. He has been heard from, is well pleased, comfortably located, and while; we here are losers, he is gainer by from, is well pleased, comfortably located, and while; we here are losers, he is gainer by much, having a larger, wealthier and better trained congregation. He will be long and kindly remembered here by his many friends. Rev. Wm. Henry Strickland preached Sunday night to a crowded house on Rebecah, or the Model Marriage. It appeared as if all the married people and all who ever expected to get married turned out to hear the sermon.

Lithonia and Her Boom.

Lithonia, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]— Lithonia is still building. New houses appear on every street, and still the demand for houses increases. Trade is still booming. The peo-ple have the spirit of "get up and get" in them, and no town in the state is making more rapid development.

Sheriff's Election in Harris County.

HAMILTON, Ga.—February IS.—[Special.]—
The slimmest vote ever polled in Harris county was cast for sheriff. There was not quite three hundred votes cast in the county. There was but one candidate, Mr. Brittian Williams, who was the deputy of the late sheriff, F. M. Tally, who, died recently. Mr. Charles Tally, son of F. M. Tally, will be Mr. Williams's deputy, and both will make good officers. Sheriff's Election in Harris County.

A Railroad King in Athens. ATHENS, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Colonel W. B. Thomas, of Tallulah Fails, arrived in the city today. He is looked upon as a railroad king by his Athens friends, who wish him all success with his road. He will return to the Falls tomorrow.

The Cartersville Land Company.

CARTRESVILLE, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]
The Cartersville Land company organized
Saturday night. The capital stock was all
subscribed, and officers elected. Directors—D.
W. K. Peacock, W. C. Baker, Moses Schener, J.
W. Harris, Jr., J. W. Akin; president—W. C.
Baker; treasurer—W. H. Howard. The crganization is composed of the most progress men in the town, and will be a success.

Rome's Building and Loan Association Rome's Building and Loan Association.

Rome, Ga., February E.—[Special.]—The first mouthly meeting of the stockholders of the building and loan association was held tonight. Secretary Maniy's statement of affairs of the association was highly satisfactory. Eight hundred shares have been taken, and this number is being daily increased. The final meeting of the committees having the library fair in charge was held this afternoon.

The fair opens tomorrow evening and promises to be the social event of the season.

Lincolnton's Live Boom.

Lincolnton, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—
Mr. W. T. Murray, who recently sold his interest in the firm of Murray, Zellars & Holliday, tester forced. day, today formed a partnership with his brother, J. J. Murray, W. H. Groves and T. P. Mitchell, and will conduct a general mercantile business here. They are all men of experience and business ability, and will make a strong firm. This adds another new business concern to our town, which is already on a big boom.

Not one in twenty are free from some little ailment caused by inaction of the liver. Use Carter's Little Liver Pills. The result will be pieasant surprise. They give positive relief to won

PROBABLY HIS WIFE.

Another Chapter in the Beaulien Murder.

THE WOMAN PROBABLY IDENTIFIED. Letter from a Lawyer Whose Wife is Missing

—A Description of Her Tallies With?

That of the Corpse.

SAVANNAH, Ga. February 13.—[Special.]—
The Beanlieu murder is recalled today. Dr.
T. B. Chisholm received a letter from a man
who thinks that possibly his wife was the victim. The writer is E. H. Williams, of Sherwood Farshkin. The Mark Land Sherwood, Franklin, Tenn. In his letter he says:

wood, Franklin, Tenn. In his letter he says:

If I mistake not you were called upon on crabout
July 20th, by Corourr W. D. Dixon to examine the
body of an unknown woman lying dead near
Beanlieu. The caption of the account of the circumstances that I saw read "The Beanlieu ho ror."

The News and Courier of Charleston, S. C., went on
to state that the body had probably lain where it
was found for the space of a month or more, and
that the person was probably twenty-five or thirty
years old at the time of her death.

On the 20th of June, 1887, my wife departed from
Kingstree, S. C. on a visit to Chattanooga, Tenn.
She has never been heard from since leaving Atlanta. You may have heard of my sace in Chattanooga and elsewhere, the papers having had a
great deal to say concerning the same. Now, sir. it
has occurred to me that probably the body upon
which you held a post mortem may be that of my
wife. She was twenty-five years old at the time:
had rather dark brown hair: of medium stee, had
had all of her teeth extracted and expected to have
a set put in at Atlanta, which she probably may
have done. The account that I read stated that
"the teeth had fallen out." I am now engaged 'in
looking up her murderer, abandoning my profession—that of law—for this purpose.

AT A RIPE OLD AGE.

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Mr. Hiram Middlebrook, of Columbus, Dies

—A Valentine Party.

Columbus, Ga., February 13.—¡Special.]—Mr. Hiram Middlebrook died at the Central hotel, where he has resided so long, at 5:30 o'clock this morning. About ten days ago, while sitting in the office of the hotel he was ottooked with reconstitute of the heart. attacked with rheumatism of the heart. A physician was summoned and everything possible was done for him, but he continued to sink until this morning, when the tired spirit took its flight. Mr. Middlebrook was at the time of his death in his eighty-eighth year, and was one of the oldest citizens of Columbus. He was born in the state of New York, near the Connecticat line, September 10th, 1800. Mr. Middlebrook was identified with all of the earlier interests of Columbus. He organized the first fire company the city ever had and used his influence in furthering many other public interests. He was also deeply interested in Masonry and was the fourth oldest Mason in Georgia. He was not a member attacked with rheumatism of the heart. A interested in Masonry and was the fourth oldest Mason in Georgia. He was not a member of any church, but paid liberally for a pew in the Episcopal church where his remains are now lying in state. He leaves no relatives except his nieces and nephews in New York and New Haven. At the time of his death he was worth probably \$30,000. He left a will which makes Judge W. H. Brannon his executor. Invitations have been issued for a grand ball and concert to be given on next Friday night at Pavillion de Newman, on Rosehill. The committee on invitation is composed of Messis C. H. Bamberth, J. D. Godwin and J. A. Ennis.

Ennis.

Mrs. W. S. Brooks died suddenly at her home in Talbotton, Saturday night, of paralysis of the heart. She was the wife of Mr. W. S. Brooks, who travels for the Muscogee Oil company of this city.

Rev. Robert H. Harris, pastor of the First Baptist church, has begun a meeting of great apparent promise, to be continued from night to night.

This morning Mr. Frank Davidson died. This morning Mr. Frank Davidson died, after a lingering illness of consumption. He was employed at the printing establishment of Mr. Thomas Gilbert, and had many friends, who will regret his untimely end. Mr. Davidson was born in Macon, and spent most of his life in Columbus.

The Columbus Grards will give a grand Valentine ball tomorrow night. They received handsome new uniforms today.

THE MURDER OF GEORGE SMITH. Thomas Cassidy to be Placed on Trial To-

day in Savannah.

SAVANNAH, Ga.. February 13.—[Special.]—
A famous case will be called tomorrow. The
trial of Thomas Cassidy for the murder of
George W. Smith, is assigned for trial. It has
been reassigned these times. Cassidy will has George W. Smith, is assigned for trial. It has been reassigned three times. Cassidy will be defended by George A. Mercer and R. R. Richards; the solicitor general will represent the state. A great many witnesses have been summoned, and the jury list contains 126 names. Smith was the proprietor of a saloen on Bay street, near Price.

On July 12th he went down to Tybee. The next morning his body was found on the beach, about 600 yards south of the Ocean house. The neck was bruised and the skull was cracked, and there were several peculiar marks on his breast and forchead, such as might be made by

neck was bruised and the skull was cracked, and there were several peeuliar marks on his breast and forehead, such as might be made by a blow from a pistol hammer. The body was thrown into the sea after the murder, but was not carried out, although the tide was falling. Thomas Cassidy, who was the proprietor of a saloon on West Broad street, was seen with sailon on west bread street, was seen with Smith after midnight, and next morning was arrested on the wharf here in the city just as he stepped from the tag which brought the passengers from the island Cassidy has always declared that he is innocent. He has been in jail since July 13th.

Gainswille Buoyant and Progressive.
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Gainswille, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Our merchants are busy and cheerful. No failures nor whispers of such things. Not a business house vacant in the place, merchants preparing to lay in large stocks for the spring trade, hotels and boarding houses full, drummers thick, busy and lively, and so, on all sides the prospects are hopeful. A larger crowd of visitors is expected this summer than ever before, and hotels, boarding houses, livery stables and merchants are making preparations to receive them. Our merchants say that people are baying fewer goods on time and paying more cash than usual. All the manufacturies are running on full time and can't thus ing more cash than usual. All the manufac-turies are running on full time and can't thus supply their trade. Gainesville needs another cotten factory and two more shoe factories. The lamented Dr. Meil was wont to say: "Gainesville is the coming town of Georgia." He spoke as a prophet. Business professional men who are unsettled will do well to give Gainesville a call before settling down else-where. Her schools are destined to make it a city.

Lithonia's Scotch Stone Utiters.

Lithonia, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—
The paving stone cutters here who recently struck are Scotchmen, who spent monthly here about \$5,000. They were hightoned men, many of them members of the church. The people here are glad to learn that these men have secured work in another company. Lithonia's Scotch Stone Cutters

Crop Notes About Lithonia.

LITHONIA, Ga., February II.—[Special,]—
Farmers are sowing oats and breaking up for another crop. Mr. James Jackson, who lives three miles south of Lithonia, made last year, with one little mule, lifteen bales of cotton, averaging over five hundred pounds of lint each, besides corn, potatoes and other things sufficient to run the place this year.

A Farmer and Lawyer. ELERITON, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—
Hon. George C. Gregan, offilberton, leaves today for Waycross, at which place he will deliver
an address before the agricultural convention.
Mr. Grogan is quite a young man, but a good
farmer as well as an excellent lawyer.

Dropped Dead While Dancing. CUMMNO, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]— Frank Edmondson, son of Mr. James Edmondson, who lives three miles south of this place, dropped dead upon the floor while dancing at a learty at his father's house last Saturday night. His death is supposed to have been caused from heart disease.

Death of an Excellent Young Mau.

LITHONIA, Gs., February 13.—[Special.]—

Mr. W. E. Callaway, of the firm of Albert & Callaway, was buried here Saturday evening. He was twenty years of age, and a model young man. He had just entered the mercantile business with splendid prospects. The town is in mourning in consequence of his death. The whole community sympathise with the family and friends of young Callaway.

Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription" is not extolled as a "cure-all." but admirably fulfills a singleness of purpose, being a most potent specific in those chronic weaknesses peculiar

SAVED FROM THE GALLOWS. Burglar's Sentence Commuted-Other

North Carolina News. RALEIGH, N. C., February 13.—[Special.]— Governor Scales this afternoon, after a careful consideration of the case, commuted the death sentence of Lucian Rowe, colored, to imprisonsentence of Lucian Rowe, colored, to imprisor-ment for ten years in the penitentiary at hard labor. Rowe was convicted of burglary at the last March term of Durham superior court and was sentenced to be hanged. He appealed to the supreme court which confirmed the judgthe supreme court which confirmed the judgment of the lower court. Governor Scales then set March 6th as the date of execution. Rowe made earnest appeals for commutation, and has been able to show conclusively that the evidence of Mary Castleberry, a negro girl, which was unsupported, but which convicted him, was false. The girl has made a confession to that effect. The governor therefore imposed upon Rowe the highest punishment for larceny.

The governor pardoned today K. A. Letd. of

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The governor pardoned today K. A. Lord, of Rowan county, who was at the fall term, 1886, convicted of larceny and sentenced to three years' imprisonment. The pardon was granted upon the special recommendation of the judge, solicitor, and many prominent citizens.

A report made today of the Durham and Northern railway shows that ten miles of this line at the Henderson end is graded and two miles at Durham end. The length of the road is forty-one miles.

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Rev. A. R. Hunter, late of the diocese of Colorado, has accepted a professorship in St. Augustine Normal school here.

The fertilizer inspector made a report today that he finds two brands unlicensed on sale in the state in large quantities. Unless the tax is paid in forty-eight hours the state will confiscate the goods. An analysis of fertilizers will be published and circulated tomorrow.

The commissioner of agriculture today pre-The commissioner of agriculture today prepared a scheme for holding each of the farmers institutes in nine of the eastern counties, beginning next Thursday. He will arrange to hold such institutes in most of the counties of the state this year.

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A reward has been offered for the discovery of the men who, on the 1st inst., at Oyster Shell Landing, Hyde county, murdered Reddin Supton, white, in the store of J. M. Supton, his brother, and then burned the body in the building. There is no clew as yet to the men who committed this terrible crime.

The Suffolk and Carolina railroad was completed today to Chowan river. It is an important connecting line between Virginia and North Carolina.

Night before last, at Elizabeth City, unknown persons entered the dental office of J. H. White, and robbed him of all his dental instruments and apparatus and tried to set fire to the building by turning over the stove, after putting kerosene and paper on the floor. But

to the building by turning over the stove, after putting kerosene and paper on the floor. But strange to say it was only partially burned. Orders have been given to largely increase the working force on the new railway from Shelby via Morganton to Cranberry.

At daylight this morning work began on the Wilmington Sea Coast railway from Wilmington to Wrightsville sound. A well trained force of laborory which recently commington to Wrightsville sound. A well trained force of laborers, which recently com-pleted the railway from Wilmington to Con-wayboro, will be at work, and by the first of June will complete the road. A passenger bridge will be built across Wrightsville Sound

o the sea beach. Governor Scales devoted much time today o the consideration of the application of James Thomas for con Thomas is under sentence to be hanged at Hendersonville, March 6th, for murder. It is thought probable that he will secure the commutation he is making such strenuous efforts

A NEW RAILROAD KING. Colonel James M. Smith's Three New Rail-

Colonel James M. Smith's Three New Railroads.

Athens, Ga., February, 13.—[Special.]—A
gentleman who has just arrived from a visit to
Hon. James M. Smith's plantation, about sixteen miles from here, says that Mr. Smith is
making arrangements to build three new railroads to his home, at Pleasant Hill. One road
will tap the Athens branch of the Georgia a
few miles below Winterville. The route is very
level, and the line can be built with very little
cost. After this road is completed, Mr. Smith
proposes building a line from Pleasant Hill to
Danielsville, the county seat of Madison
county. This road will pass through a very
rich belt in both Madison and Oglethorpe
counties, and it is thought that Colonel Smith
will realize a handsome income from this investment. The third road will be from his
farm to Sandy Cross, in Oglethorpe county.
The line will be about ten miles long, and can
be built at very little cost. Colonel Smith will
place all his convicts on this road,
besides hiring several hundred laborers.
The roads will be narrow gauge, and can all
be operated by the same rolling stock. Engineers will be placed in the field very soon.
Colonel Smith has thought a great deal over
the subject of building these new railroads and
finds that all these lines can be built very
cheap. The Georgia, Carolina and Northern
railroad will pass throughe Pleasant Hill, and cheap. The Georgia, Carolina and Northern railroad will pass through Pleasant Hill, and in a few years it promises to be a great railroad center. Cotton seed oil mills, flour mills, saw mills, guano factory and five large gin houses are now in successful operation, and as soon as the railroads are completed a compress will be built. Mr. Smith is confident that when his built. Mr. Smith is confident that when his roads are finished that Pleasant Hill will receive 20,000 bales of cotton. The people living in that section are very anxious for the new railroads to be built and will give Colonel Smith all the aid in their power toward their completion. Hon. Jas. M. Smith started life after the war with only a few hundred dollars Now his wealth is estimated at half a million

A JOKE ON THE CHOIR.

They Did Their Best, Thinking Emma Abbott was Listening.

Savannah, Ga., February 13.—[Special.]—Christ church choir is the object today of some good natured badinage. Emma Abbott attended the services yesterday morning especially to hear the singing. Two of the choir wished the great prima donna to judge their voices. Miss Abbott had expressed her regret that she could not attend, but during the sermon, the word was give to the choir that the great songstress was underneath their gallery and the effectory at the close of the sermon was charmingly sung, but Miss Abbott had left about ten minutes before the offertory was begun. She said that she was sorry to go before the service was over, but she was afraid she would get left. The congregation wondered at the unusual improvement in the wondered at the unusual improvement in the choir, not understanding it. As Miss Abbott sat under the choir, the singers did not know when she left.

General Henry R. Jackson was tonight reelected president of the Georgia Historical so-

ciety. A Rushing Business.

CHARLOTTE HARBOR, Fla., February 13.—
[Special]—There are several new buildings going up in Charlotte Harbor, and all the hotels are doing a rushing business. Friday and Saturday are big days at Puenta Gorda to see the host races.

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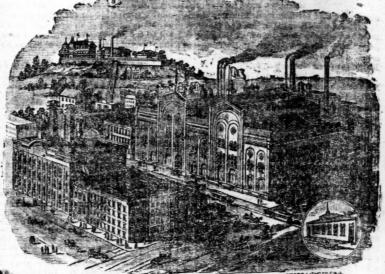
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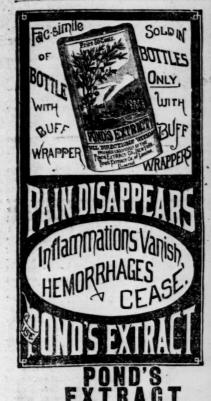
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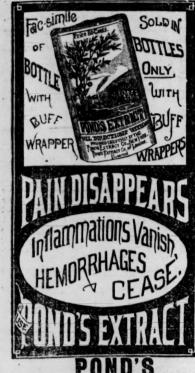
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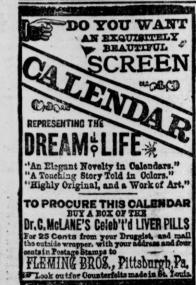


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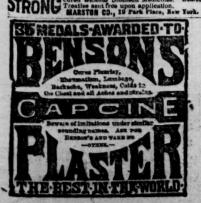
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Decisions Rendered During the Week.

REPORTED BY J. H LUMPKIN. Hon. L. E. Bleckley. Chief Justice, and

Taylor vs. Central Railroad and Banking Company of Georgia. Case, from Pike. Charge of Court. Evidence. New Trial. Damages. Practice in Supreme Court. Practice in Superior Court. (Before Judge Boynton.)

[Simmons, J., being disqualified, Judge John T. Clarke, of the Pataula Circuit, was designated to preside in his stead.]

Clarke, J.—1. We see no such error in the charge of the court, or in its failure or refusals to charge, or in its exclusion of evidence, as to call for a new trial.

2. The damages are not excessive.

3. When a new trial is granted without specifying the ground of the grant, it will be affirmed upon any satisfactory ground taken in the motion.

4. In a proper case, where the motion alleges

be affirmed upon any satisfactory ground taken in the motion.

4. In a proper case, where the motion alleges that "the verdict is contrary to the law" and "contrary to the evidence" and "without evidence to support it," the judge may adjudicate that is is "decidedly and strongly against the weight of the evidence," without that ground being specially taken in the motion.

5. There is no absolute or invariable rule, limiting the granting of new trial, in the court below, on that ground, to the first grant.

6. After one such grant on that ground, a subsequent grant on account of supposed conflict between the evidence and the verdict, will be closely scrutinized to see that the discretion of the court below has been justly and wisely exercised in view of the peculiar issues and facts of each case, and having due regard to the general considerations of the fitness of juries to ascertain facts, and of the necessity that there must be some end to litigation.

7. The grant of a second new trial in this case was, upon careful scrutiny, not unjust or unwise.

8. In view of the wide-spread local interest and excitements connected with the case, and the large amounts to be affected by the litigation of which it is a part, and of the far-reaching responsibilities which may follow the precedent, we feel less hesitation in sanctioning this grant of a second rehearing upon the facts. Judgment affirmed.

A. A. Murphy; A. M. Speer; W. R. Taylor; J. A. Hunt; J. F. Redding, for plaintiff in error.

Lawton & Cunningham; R. F. Lyon; John I. Hall; John J. Hunt: John D. Stewart; T.

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Lawton & Cunningham; R. F. Lyon; John I. Hall; John J. Hunt; John D. Stewart; T. B. Cabaniss, for defendant.

Clements vs. Tillman et al. Equity, from

Clements vs. Tillman et al. Equity, from Muscogee. Attachment for contempt. Decrees. Executions. Constitutional Law. (Before Judge Smith.) [Blandford, J., being disqualified, Judge Kibbee, of the Oconee Circuit, was designated to preside in his stead.]

Kibbee, J.—Originally, in the absence of statutory provision, decrees of courts of equity, of whatever kind or nature, operated strictly and exclusively in personam, and the only remedy for their enforcement was by process for contempt. Under the legislative provisions of this state, decrees for money may be enforced by execution. When a party is decreed to perform a duty or do any act, other than the mere payment of money, which the court has jurisdiction to adjudge that he shall do, if he disobeys, he is guilty of contempt, and his arrest and imprisonment is not in violation of the constitutional prohibition of imprisonment for debt; but if a court of equity should render a simple decree for money, based on a verdict for an amount of money, such a decree may be enforced by the ordinary common law process against property; and a failure to pay the amount of the decree would not be a contempt authorizing compulsory process against the person of the party in default, to be resorted to to enforce payment. Therefore where a money decree in favor of a legatee against an executor awarded an execution for its enforcement, it was error to add an alternative that if the detendant failed to pay the amount of the decree by a time specified, he should be held and deened to be in contempt. Code, \$5009, 4215, 4216; 39 Mo. 285; 44 Ga. 220; 1 Story's Eq. Jur. \$5708-710.

Judgment reversed.

C. J. Thornton, for plaintiff in error.

L. F. Garrard, for defendants.

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Biggers et al. vs. Owen et al. Complaint, from City Court of Columbus. Rewards. Actions. Quantum Meruit. Pleadings. (Before Judge Ingram.)

[Bleckley, C. J., was providentially prevented from presiding in this case.]

Blandford, J.—An offer of a reward for the delivery to the sheriff of a county of a person guilty of a crime, is nothing more than a proposition or offer to the public, and until some one complies with the terms and conditions thereof, it may be withdrawn. Where the plaintiffs arrested a woman and delivered her to the sheriff, and upon her committing trial before a magistrate, she was discharged for want of sufficient evidence to warrant her commitment, and thereupon the offer of a reward was withdrawn, even though one of the the parties who made the offer told one of those who had made the arrest to go on, and that he would pay such person what his services were reasonably worth, and although a warrant for the same woman may have been subsequently obtained by the person making the offer and executed by the other party as a bailiff, and upon her trial she may have been convicted of the offence, this did not authorize a recovery be had on a quantum merait, in the absence of any pleadings for that purpose and of evidence as to the varice of the services rendered and their nature. It was, therefore, error to charge that if the reward was offered, and the plaintiffs thereupon furnished evidence going to show that the woman was guilty of the crime, they would be entitled to recover the amount of the reward; and to refuse to charge to the contrary.

Judgment reversed.

Peabody, Brannon & Battle, for plaintiffs in

Hatcher & Peabody, for defendants.

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Hendricks vs. McDaniel, governor. Claim, from Muscogee. Evidence. Title. (Before Judge Smith.)

Blandford, J.—On the trial of a claim case, evidence that the sheriff went to the land levied on, found certain persons in possession of it and asked whether or not it was their land, to which they replied that it was not, that they had rented it from the defendant in fi. fa.. and that it belonged to her, was not admissible to show title in such defendant.

Judgment reversed.

Goetchius & Chappell, for plaintiff in error. Peabody, Brannon & Battle; J. H. Worrill, defendant.

defendant.

Hamlin vs. Rogers, Worsham & Co. Illegality, from City Court of Macon. Attorney and Client. Mortgages. Actions. Verdict. Evidence. Covenants. Practice in Superior Court. (Before Judge Harris.)

Blandford, J.—Where a promissory note was for the principal sum of \$101.25, together with ten per cent. attorneys' fees if suit should be instituted, and afterwards a mortgage was executed to secure the payment of the note, in which a covenant was engrafted that, in case such mortgage should be foreclosed, fifty per cent. should be addedlfor attorneys' fees and expenses, upon a foreclosure, no greater recovery could be had for attorneys' fees than ten per cent.; but if the mortgages desire to recover more than this for a breach of the covenant in the mortgage, they should bring a separate action therefor. It was, therefore, error, on the trial of an issuelraised by affidavit of illegality under the forclosure of the mortgage, to admit testimony as to what was a reasonable fee for making the foreclosure and what for conducting the case through the trial then in progress.

(a.) The verdict having been for \$15 more attorneys' fees than was proper, the judgment is afiltmed with directions that the court below require the plaintiffs to write off that amount from the judgment, or, if they refuse to do so, that a new trial be granted.

Dismuke vs. Eade & Co. Claim. from Harris Hamestage. Husband and Wife. (Be-

Dismuke vs. Ead & Co. Claim. from Har-ris. Homestead. Husband and Wife. (Be-fore Judge Willis.) Blandford, J.—Where, in 1887, a father of minor children obtained a homestead in cer-

tain lands, and subsequently, during the minority of the children, he remarried, his wife, by virtue of the marriage, became a beneficiary of the homestead, and it did not terminate upon the arrival of the children at majority, and was not subject to the debt of creditors of the husband to whom he and his wife conveyed the land, with the approval of the ordinary, to secure such indebtedness.

Judgment reversed.

Judgment reversed.
C. J. Thornton; L. L. Stanford, for plaintiff in error.

J. M. Mobley; Willis & Persons; B. L. Harris, for defendants.

Mitchell vs. State. Burglary, from Muscogee.
Criminal Law. Confessions Evidence.
Practice in Superior Court. Practice in
Supreme Court. (Before Judge Smith.)
Blandford, J.—It is the better practice,
before admitting a confession in evidence, to
require such proof that it was freely and voluntarily made, as will satisfy the mind of the
court, the question being ultimately left to the
jury under all the facts of the case. But in
this case, it did not appear that the confession
admitted was not freely and voluntarily made,
or that any motion was made to rule out the or that any motion was made to rule out the evidence on that ground after it had been admitted; and the evidence satisfactorily showing the guilt of the defendant, a reversal will not be granted because of the failure to require proof of the voluntary character of such confession.

proof of the voluntary character of such confession.

Judgment affirmed.

A. A. Dozier, for plaintiff in error.

J. H. Worrill, solicitor general, for the state.

Gorman vs. Trice. Case, from Talbot. Verdict. Damages. Mill-Dams. Water Courses.

(Before Judge Willis.)

Blandford, J.—Where, in a suit for damages for causing water to overflow land, it appeared that the owner of a mill-dam paid to the owner of the land \$100 for the privilege of raising the dam ten inches, but instead of doing so, raised it twenty-three inches, damaging the land to the extent of \$100, a verdict for the plaintiff was demanded by the evidence.

Judgment affirmed.

M. Bethune; J. H. Worrill, for plaintiff in error.

J. J. Bull; C. J. Thornton, for defendant.

Echols et al. vs. Sparks. Nonsuit, from Harris. Ejectment. Title. Tenants in Common. (Before Judge Willis.)
Simmons, J.—On a joint demise in ejectment, the title proved must be joint, or the plaintiffs cannot recover. They must establish the right of possession in pressent to the

ment, the title proved must be joint, or the plaintiffs cannot recover. They must establish the right of possession in presenti to the premises, and such right must exist in each and all of them. If one of the plaintiffs has no title, the co-plaintiffs cannot recover, and such misjoinder of plaintiffs is ground for nonsuit. Where suit was brought to recover certain land which had been devised to a woman for life with remainder to her children, and it appeared that the plaintiffs were her children and grandchildren, but it did not appear that the parent or parents of such grandchildren were dead, they were not tenants in common with the other plaintiffs who took as purchasers, while they took by inheritance, if at all; and there was no error in granting a nonsuit. Sedg. & Wait Tr. Tit. §187; 26 Vt. 606; 1 A. K. Mar. (Ky.) 39; 2 Bla. C. C. 56-61; 32 Ill. 489; 15 Ga. 202.

Judgment affirmed.

Abercrombie & Bilbro; Goetchius & Chappell; J. M. Russell, for plaintiffs in error.

Willis & Persons; B. H. Walton, for defendant.

Hunter vs. State. Selling liquor without license, from Talbot. Criminal Law. Liquor. License. (Before Judge Willis.) Simmons, J.—There is no statute of this state which requires a person who sells liquor by the gallon, or more than a gallon, to take out a license therefor, but he is only required to register his business in the ordinary's office on or before the first day of January of each year. One who sold only by the gallon could not be convicted for selling without first obtaining a license.

Judgment reversed.
J. J. Bull; Willis & Persons, for plaintiff in error.

J. H. Worrill, solicitor general, for the

Jemmerson vs. State. Abandonment of children, from Muscogee. Criminal Law. Parent and Child. Jurisdiction. Jode. (Before Judge Smith.)
Simmons, J.—In order to convict a father of the offence of abandoning his minor child, it must affirmatively appear that he wilfully and voluntarily abandoned his child, leaving it in a dependent and destitute condition; and these acts must have occurred in this state. Where a father abandoned his children in the state of Alabama and came to this state five or six years before the finding of an indictment against him, and the mother of the children subsequently moved into this state bringing them with her in a dependent and destitute condition, and notified the father and requested him to support them, which he refused to do, this did not authorize his conviction, unless he received them and recognized them in some he received them and recognized them in s

he received them and recognized them in some way as his family after they had come into this state. Code, §4373.

(a) The act of 1866 uses the conjunctive "and" in defining this offence to be the wilful and voluntary abandonment of a child by its father, leaving such child in a dependent and destitute condition; but by an error in codification the disjunctive "or" is used in §4373 of the code. The act should be followed in drawing indictments. McDaniel vs. Campbell, October term, 1886.

Judgment reversed.
J. F. Pou, for plaintiff in error.
J. H. Worrill, solicitor general, for the state.

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The total sales for forward delivery for the week are 685,400 bales. For immediate delivery, the total sales foot up this week 1,006 bales, including 50 for export, and 956 for consumption. The imports into continental ports this week have been 38,000 bales. These figures indicate a decrease in the cotton in sight, of 293,959 bales, as compared with same date of 1887, a decrease of 46,362 bales as compared with the correonding date of 1886, and an increase o

68,909 bales as compared with 1885.

The above totals show that the old interior stocks have decreased during the week 10,053 bales and are 33,149 bales more than at the same period last year. The receipts at the same towns have been 7.637 bales less than the same week last year, and since September 1, the receipts at all the towns are 92,773 bales more than for the same time in 1886-7.

. The total receipts from the plantation since September 1, 1887, are 5,027,569 bales: in 1886-7 were 4,879,377 bales; in 1885-6 were 4,779,722 bales. Although the recelpts at the outports the past week wer 19,583 bales, the actual movement from plantations was only 88,690 bales, the balance being taken from the stocks at the interior towns. Last year the receipts from the plantations for the same week were 104, 443 bales and for 1886 they were 90,895

as compared with last year, is 403,385 bales, the increase as compared with 1885-6 is 557,061 bales and the increase over 1884-5

The average weight of the deliveries in Great Britain is 434 pounds per bale this season, against 452 pounds during the same time last season. The continental deliveries average 444 pounds, against 458 last year, and for the whole of Europe the deliveries average 439 pounds per arainst 452.5 pounds last season

The weekly consumption in Europe is gainst 142,000 bales of the same weight at the corresponding time last year. The total spinners' stocks in Great Britain and on continent have increased 42,000 bales ng the month, and are now 324,000

The Chronicle's weather reports by telegraph denote that the weather has in general been fairly favorable during the week, but that in parts of the western section of the cotton belt the roads are in bad condimarch out of the union by the secession

in cotton for future delivery at New York was at sharply declining prices for the first half of the week under review. The move ment of the crop, not only at the ports, but at interior towns, somewhat exceed estimates, giving fresh support to long crop figures, and there was considerable realizing by parties who were "long" of the market. Few, however, had the courage to "go short" except against cotton already hand; and on Wednesday the market took a strong upward turn, which was continued on Thursday. The "shorts" covered their contracts very freely, and bulls began again to operate with some degree of confidence

The name of a leading operator wa coupled with the assertion of a purpose to "corner" contracts for March. The more peaceful advices from Berlin were also ar element of strength, and it is believed that German houses were buyers. A cable that Ellison estimates that the supply of cotton would be short, even with an Ancrican crop of 6,800,000 bales, which was reported late on Thursday afternoon, gave fresh im pulse to the buying, which had begun to drag. Friday the market was very unsettled, closing at some decline. Cotton on the spot declined 1-16th on Tuesday, and advanced 1-16th on Thursday. Stocks in this market begin to show some accumula

tion, but are well held. The Ellison circular is as follows: The extremely small estimates of the American rop current in November are generally abandoned at there is still a variation of about half a million of the control of the c the course of the coming month, and in the mean time we shall calculate upon a yield of 6,800,00 bales, out of which the United States and Canada will probably take 2,850,000, leaving-4,450,000 for shipment to Europe. In India the Oomrawuttee and Bengal crops are said to be smaller than those of last season, but it is reported that the Broach, Dhollerah and other crops will almost, if not quite, we see no reason for changing our October estimate of 1,500,0.0 bales as the probable import into Europe this season, against 1,578,000 last season. The Egypt'an crop is turning out slightly smaller than expected, and we shall calculate upon only 2,800,000 cantars, or 400,000 bales, against 425,000 last season The other Mediterranean supplies will reach about 50,000 bales, against 64,000 last season. The imports from the Brazils and West Indies we put down at 420,000 bales; against 502,000.

A CORRESPONDENT asks us what is going on in society. Indifferent digestions, occasional parties and the happiness or unhappiness common to human nature, whether

Count Tolstoi's work on "Napoleon and

the Russian Campaign," perhaps throws new light upon one of the most interesting chapters in history. According to the Russian writer, Napo-

leon believed that every onward movement was a triumph. He knew nothing of the country he was invading. His plans of battle were all impracticable, and were all abandoned after a few shots had been fired. In fact, it was soon found on both sides that battles availed nothing. The czar was helpless, and his army was uscless, while Napoleon himself was a mere bubble tossed about upon the fiery crest of battle. The French when they reached Moscow rushed on because they wanted food, wine and clothing. During the occupation of Moscow, the army was altogether lawless, and the emperor had no control over it. He was kind to the inhabitants and to his troops because he could not help himself. When he paid off his troops it was in counterfeit Russian money, manufactured by himself!

The burning of the city left the French in midwinter in a desolate country, surrounded by foes. Even then it was not the Russian army that forced the invaders out of the country. It was the common people, who burned their homes and property, leaving the territory entirely bare. Our author pic gry rabble rushing homeward in one compact body, with but one idea, to get out of Russia. At the head of the army ran the emperor; after him came the kings, and then the dukes. At last Napoleon cut loose from his soldiers, and seated in a carriage between two fat men to keep him warm,

drove with all possible haste to his beloved There are some queer things in Tolstoi's book, and the admirers of Napoleon will shake their heads as they read, but some of his facts are in a measure sustained by feit money incident.

It is well enough to show up the weakness the littleness and the meanness of a man who has been regarded by millions as almost a demigood. When the whole truth is told on will still stand out as the greatest man of his time, despite his selfishness, his mistakes, and his crimes. The ordinary run of mankind will find some consolation in the discovery that this Colossus, under some circumstances, was a very small and a very helpless man, who in his career frequently illustrated the truth of his own say-"There is but one step from the sub lime to the ridiculous."

OLD UNCEL JOE HOWARD says that the poor are happy. Well, they ought to be. Poor people usually have clear consciences.

A Northern Defense of the South. The Springfield Republican, one of the most conservative of New England newspapers, in the course of a thoughtful editorial, advises the northerner to put himself in the place of the average white southerner of

To the southerner of that day, says the Republican, slavery was a part of the social life of his section. He had been nursed by a black "mammy." He owned the servants in his house, and the laborers on his planta tion. He had grown up accustomed to the system. He found it defended and never denounced in the Bible. He knew that kindness and fidelity existed in the relations between master and slave, and this was shown during the war by the fact that the plantations were left unguarded while the whites went to the front. The slaves of the south were worth perhaps billions of dollars. The southerner, understanding all these things, felt aggrieved because his system was assailed in the north. He could not reclaim his slaves when they fled to a northern state. He could not move with his slaves to a territory, a point settled by the election of Lincoln. Naturally the southerner could not endure these violations of his constitutional rights. At last, when he saw the government in the hands of his enemies, he felt that it was time to part company, and believing that the union of states was a voluntary alliance, he proceeded to

would be made to coerce him. In thos days the southerner believed that his state was soverign and commanded his allegiance. A big difference of opinion existed on this point between the sections. The Massachusetts man understood that his country meant the United States; the Virginian understood that it meant Virginia, an idea also entertained by George Washington during the revolution. So the struggle came on. In conclusion, our contemporary

Then the war became to the south, what it never was to the north, a war of defense. The home and freside were threatened. Who blames the men who took arms against that? Who has no feeling for the women who sent their husbands and sons to keep back the hosts of Grant and Sherman, whose com-ing meant fire and sword? Who wonders if they

ound it hard to forgive?
This is the southerner's side. If we do not give he northerner's here, it is because our readers have heard it for many years. We need not repeat to them that slavery was a gigantic evil, or that to keep this people one nation was worth all it cost. But we would do justice to our fellow-countrymen of the south. They were mistaken, and they paid a tremendous penalty. Think how men love the flag ire. They accepted the overthrow of slavery, and ne indissoluble unity of these states, as facts; as acts they made the best of them, until they grew reconciled to the result, glad slavery was gone, and attached to the union they had fought to break. In building up their waste places, in looking forward and not back. In joining hands to create a new America, they have shown themselves braver men than on the battle-field. We are proud of them as our fellow-countrymen, and we would not ask them

to report or to be ashamed of their post. The Republican puts the case with commendable fairness, and it is an encouraging sign to see one of the leaders of public opinion in the north discussing this matter without resentment, bias or prejudice. When the northern people find themselves in this frame of mind it goes without saying that this is emphatically a reunited country, with one flag and one destiny.

THE congressional stock gamblers will be compelled to take a walk hereafter to indulge in their favorite pastime.

EDITORIAL POSTSCRIPT.

THE POLITICAL POT is beginning to boil. THE USUAL COLD weather of this season has vidently gone into winter quarters.

SENATOR WADE HAMPTON has shaved off his side whiskers, and a newspaper correspond-ent says that his face looks like a peeled onion. "SLAVES AND POLTROONS," began Governor West in a speech at Salt Lake City. He did not finish. The audience made a rush for him, and the speaker retired.

MR. BLAINE WRITES from Italy that his ame will not be presented to the republican convention. Mr. Blaine, however, may stil be regarded as in the race.

THE CHICAGO HERALD is running a serial story by the late Sylvanus Cobb, Jr. This prolific writer probably left enough manuscript behind him to give the printers work for years

A BILL HAS BEEN introduced in the New Jersey legislature to prohibit the killing of deer in that state for two years. Senator Gardner says that their are not over fiftee deer left in the southern part of the state. By the time the bill passes there will probably b

GENERAL WILSON AND SENATOR REAGAN had a pleasant meeting in Washington, the other day. Wilson captured Reagan with President Davis and his party. He offered Reagan his parole, but the latter refused to accept it, saying that Mr. Davis was sick, and he would stick to him. At that time Reagan fully expected to be hung.

Mr. WILLIAM MEANS, president of the defunct Metropolitan bank of Cincinnati, is a brother-in-law of ex-Congressman Heury S. Neal of the eleventh Ohio district, and their wives are sisters of "Bunnie" Campbell, the young lady in the famous Arbuckle case. Mr. Means was several times a millionaire and a general favorite in Cincinnati society.

portunity of hearing a brilliant and witty lee ture since the last appearance of Dr. Talmage at DeGive's as they will have in hearing Colovel Russell H. Conwell at Trinity church to-night. On the Chautauqua platform Conwell outdraws Talmage.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Wants an Equal Showing. STONE MOUNTAIN, Ga., February 13 .- Editors Constitution: Politics in this county will no doubt assume a more definite shape within a few days. DeKalb superior court convenes today, and will hold two or three weeks, which will give ample time for all political aspirants to make their announcement known. The mass of our people are in favor of taking the bridle off and having a go as you please race. While we have no avowed candiyou please race. While we have no avowed candidated for the legislature, several gentlemen have been spoken of that will make an interesting and exciting race, owing to the issues that certainly will be presented to the people. Our people are very much displeased with our prolibition law. As the law now stands, we cannot vote for manufacture or sale without first getting a special act passed by the legislature to do so. The majority of the voters of this county are in favor of the manufacture and no doubt would give a majority in favor of a restricted sale.

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There has been quite a change in the sentiment of our people in regard to the manufacture and sale of spirits since we have had a prohibition trial. It has certainly been a failure in this section. Our town is supplied from the cast by three barrooms located on the line in Gwinnett county, on the west from the barrooms of Atlanta, and lastly, but not least, from several blind tigers in Stone Mountain, Ga. To sum up, in short, our people desire to be put on equal footing with the gate city and Gwinnett county, our nearest neighbors. Our rotation system gives Gwinnett county the right to name our next senator. Have not heard of any one entering the sield as yet.

Hon, John D. Stewart, our esteemed congressmen, will have an easy walk over any opponent in this county.

Tha near approach of St. Valentine's day, calls to mind a very ingenious acrostic by Elga
Allen Poc—which appeared in the New York Even
ing Mirror of February 21st, 1846. The reader will
have no difficulty in spelling out the three name
if he hits upon the right clew. It is entitled:
To Her whose name is written below
"For her these lines are menned whose limited."

'For her these lines are penned, whose lumin eyes,
Bright and expressive as the stars of Leda,
Shall find her own sweet name that, nestling lie
Upon this page, onwrapped from every reader.
Search narrowly these words, which holds a treas

Divine, a talisman, an amulet Thati must be worn at heart. Search well the measure, The words, the letters themselves. Do not forget

The words, the letters themselves. Do not forget the smallest point, or you may lose your labor. And yet there is in this no Gordian knot. Which one might not undo without a sabre. If one could merely comprehend the plot. Upon the open page, on which are peering. Such sweet eyes now, there lies, I say perdee, A musical hame, oft uttered in the hearing of poets, by poets, for the name is a poet's too, In common sequence set, the letter is the contraction. of poets, by poets, for the name is a poet's too, In common sequence set, the le ters lying, compose a sound delighting all to hear. All this you'd have no trouble in descrying,

A Fine Old Preacher. Columbus, Ga., February 13.—Nealus White, a colored Eaptist preacher, in Harris county, treated his wife so badly that she left home Saturday. Her faustand met her in the road and beather so severely that she died yesterday, just after giving birnt to a child. White has not been arrested, but officers are in pursuit of him. This is raid to be the third wife he has bester to dealer.

### PICTON'S POINT:

He Attempts to Raise a Privilege NEW YORK, February 13.—[Special.]—Henry P. Talmadge, president of the South Carolina Question

IN THE ARREST OF IRISH MEMBERS. Heated Debate in Parliament-Mr. Parnell and Mr. Gladstone Take Part-Other Foreign News.

LONDON, February 13,-Mr. Picton, home the house of commons today to the arrests in O'Brien and Gillhooly, Irish members of parliament, which, he claimed, constitut breach of privilege.

The speaker, in reply, said that Pyne and

Gillhooly were arrested on criminal warrants. in their case no breach of privilege had been mitted. The arrest of Mr. O'Brien, however, was a breach of privilege.

Mr. Matthews, home secretary, apologized for the indignity to which Mr. O'Brien had been subjected. The occurrence was an unfortunate one.

Sir R. E. Webster, attorney-general, denied that any privilege existed. Explanations and apologies had been given, and if they did not

office to fatisfy Mr. O'Brien he could prosesuffice to fatisty Mr. O Briefi he count prose-cute for a remedy elsewhere.

Mr. Picton was not satisfied with the attor-ney-general's opinion. Parliament, he said, must clearly vindicate its rights. He there-fore moved that the "wrongful arrest of Mr. O'Brien, when leaving the house of commons,

ach of parliamentary privilege."
Larne, radical, in seconding the mo-The speaker reminded Mr. McLarne that

the cases of those gentlemen were not before the house.

The attorney-general moved an amendment to the effect that the house regretted the indignity to Mr. O'Brien, but, considering it was a mistake, did not think it necessary to proceed further.

Mr. Gladstone admitted that as far as an apology was concerned, the home secretary had done all that could be expected. But Mr. o'Brien, he said, was not only arrested within the precincts of the house, but was seized by a constable without warrant. The circumstances afforded reasonable grounds for referring the case to the committee on privileges. The incident was not merely an innocent error; it

was a procedure either careless, or worse, which demanded an inquiry. If the attorney general persisted in his amendment, and if it was carried, he would move that the matter be referred to the committee on privileges.

Sir Edward Clarke, solicitor general, anapped that the government could not adont Mr. Gladstone's suggestion, there being no breach of privilege and nothing to refer to the

Mr. Parnell said that the government would have taken a different course if it had been an English member and would have sent a detective who knew the member wanted. He pro-tested against the duties which the government now thrusts upon the constables guard-ing parliament. Surely it was a question of privilege whether members were entitled to go to and from the house without being mo-

lested.
W. H. Smith, conservative leader, denied that the government imposed duties of espionage upon any officers of the house.

John Morely, liberal, intimated that the opposition would allow Mr. Picton's motion to be expected without division. Hothers waved negatived without division. He then moved that matter be referred to the committee privileges. Motion was rejected by a vote 246 to 151.

BRUCE IS RIGHT.

The Colored Ex-Senator's Views on the South American Exodus. Indianapolis, February 13.-Ex-Senator INDIANAPOLIS, February 13.—Ex-Senator Blanche K. Bruce, formerly of Mississippi, but who is now a resident of this city, was today asked by a Journal reporter his opinion of the proposed negro exodus to South America and Liberia. The ex-senator replied:
"There isn't anything in the so-called exodus to South America or to any other foreign land. The scheme originated with two classes—one composed of a few honest, simpleminded men without experience, and without the remotest concention of

without the remotest conception the magnitude of the venture; and other composed of sharpers who think they see in the proposed movement an opportunity to advance their personal fortune. Some of the latter class, I am informed, have recently appeared in northern communities as agents, soliciting money to hurry forward the work. To encourage such men is to put a premium on fraud, and in the estimation of the public do incalculable injury to the colored people of this courter."

The ex-senator added that about a year a promint official in Venezuela infor that while that government would welcome immigration, it desired only such as would be self-sustaining for a year as a guarantee again

seir-sustaining for a year as a guarantee against the possibility of becoming a public charge. In conclusion, Mr. Bruce said:

"We may as well abandon, once for all, the impracticable scheme of colonization, and develop our energies to the work of disciplining and informing the negroes intellectually and morally that they may be ready for the bestile. morally that they may be ready for the battle

IN HONOR OF LINCOLN,

The First Banquet in Honor of the Anniver-sary of His Birth. Columbus, Ohio, February 13.—The first banquet in honor of the anniversary of President Lincoln's birthday was given in Wells Post hall here tonight by the Ohio republican league. The number of tickets was limited to 250, and the committee scanned closely the list, so that the attendance was very select, representing the best and most prominent elelist, so that the attendance was very select, representing the best and most prominent elements of the republican party in all parts of the state. Among the guests and orators were such well known men as Senator Sherman, Governor Foraker, Governor Luce, of Michigan; Governor Baker, of Pennsylvania; ex-Governor Foster, of Ohio; Hon. James P. Foster, of New York; Congressmen Butterworth and Thompson, of Ohio; Murat Halstead, W. H. Gibson, Judge Wm. H. West, General James S. Robins, Professor Scarborough, of Wilberforce university, and most of the leading republicans in active party service in the state. Before the banquet, which began at eight o'clock, an Informal reception was held at Governor Foraker's office. Hon. R. J. Ryan, of Portsmouth, president of the Ohio league, delivered an address of welcome.

Buried in the Avalanche.
VIENNA, February 13.—Two thousand menare still continuing their efforts to rescue passengers on the mail train on the Arlborg railsengers on the man train on the Arlborg rail-way which was buried by an avalanche. An avalanche swept down upon a cottage built on the side of the mountain and crushed it to pieces. Its occupants, a watchman and his wife, were killed.

Ross Wins the Race. N. February 13.—The sculling race Wallace Ross, of America, and George between Wallace Ross, of America, and George Bubear, of England, for the championship of England, the challenge cup and stake of four nundred pounds, took place today over the Thames course from Putney to Martlake. Ross won by two lengths.

AT RANDOM. There is an endeavor being made to intro-duce paper dishes for table use. The man whose wife is in the habit of throwing plates at him will be

A forty-pound crocodile covered with woolly hair has been discovered in Florida. The theory is advanced that it had inadvertently lunched on a firkin of steamboat butter.

William Preston Johnston, son of the General Johnston who died at Shiloh, is president of Tulare university and a Shaksperean expert. He has not a single hair on his head or face. Even his

ses not a single nair off his need or face. Even his eyebrows and eyebabes have disappeared.

Senator Harrison H. Riddleberger is tall, giraight and not bud looking, he has a long, thin face, a high, full forehead, and his brown hair, which is thinning rapidly at the crown, is combed well-back. He returns it is active to the control of the control o which is thinning rapidly at the grown, is considered back. He remase, it is said, invitations to state dinners at the white house, and once declined to go to a dinner party at Senator Palmer's because he had no dress coat and was too poor to buy one.

If the door creaks and you can't get oil, and can get a soft lead pencil, mb the point into all the crevices of the binger and the creaking will cease. Even if you can get oil, the black lead is nester.

THE CAROLINA COMPANY.

An Organization Similar to the Georgi Company.

P. Talmadge, president of the South Carolina Railway company, and a few chosen associates, have about perfected the organization of the Carolina company, which is a corporation similar in formation to the Georgia company that was founded on a majority of the Georgia Central railroad stock. The Carolina company is capitalized at \$500,000, sixty per cent of which is paid into the treasury in cash, and the balance is represented by stock and income bonds of the South Carolina Railway company, which the Carolina company subscribers turn into the treasury of that company at a cash valuation of fifteen cents on the dollar for the stock, and twenty-five cents on the dollar for stock, and twenty-five cents on the dollar for the stock, and twenty-five cents on the dollar for the income bonds. This plan puts three hundred thousand dollars cash in the treasury of the Carolina company, which sum is to be immediately loaned to the South Carolina Rail-way company on its note. Secured by two hundred control of the stock o way company, on its note, secured by two hun-dred thousand dollars of second mortgage, and four hundred thousand income bonds of the Carolina railway, which were authorized under the reorganization of this railway company in 1881, but have never, heretofore, been issued. The Carolina company is also to have, as additional collateral for its three hundred thousand dollar loan, a majority of the stock of the New York and Charleston Warehouse and Navigation company. It is said that of the New York and Charleston warehouse and Navigation company. It is said that this three hundred thousand dollar loan will completely relieve the financial stringery which the South Carolina railway has latterly experienced and put it beyond the probability of any future pecuniary embarrassment. The profits to the Carolina company are altogether prospective, if the Carolina railway is enabled through the financial assistance which it brough the financial assistance which it bonds in its treasury. The only other apparent will control the railroad by the lina company will control the railroad by the ownership of a majority of the stock. Through this control a deal with some other railroad system will be possible, and in that way the Carolina company may some day reap a fat reward. James Swann, of Inman, Swann & Co., and John C. Calhoun are members of the Carolina company and provided the company and some last it to accessor a sort of Southern. are memoers of the Carolina company and may be said to represent a sort of southern contingent of the organization. The Carolina company holds a meeting to-morrow, and it is said tonight that all the parties interested are so pleased with the outlook of their enterprise that at tomorrow's meeting it may be determined to increase the capital stock to a million dollars.

M. J. V.

DESTROYED BY FIRE. Another Large Conflagration at St. Paul-

St. PAUL, Minn., February 13.—Another dismorning. About 6 o'clock a mercurial alarm in the Ryan block called the fire department to the cor-ner of East Third street and Wacouta. Two ner of East Third street and Wacouta. Two upper stories of that portion of the building occupied by Foote, Schulze & Co., were filled with smoke. The Ryan building is immediately opposite the building which burned several weeks ago, entailing a loss of \$300,000, and whose ruins are still smoldering despite the efforts to suppress it. The fire soon had possession of the entire portion occupied by Foote, Schulze & Co. The Ryan block fronts on Third street a frontage of about 160

on Third street, a frontage of about 160 feet, and runs back to an alley on Waconta street at a distance of about 140 feet. The block is five stories in height, and Nos. 225, 227, and 229 East Third street. The Ryan Drug company occupy Nos. 225 and The Ryan Drug company occupy Nos. 225 and 227 with wholesale drugs; Foote, Schulze & Co. occupy No. 229 with boots and shoes. The latter firm have a third story frontage of fifty feet. The fourth and fifth floors are used for the manufacture of boots and shoes. The fire, as nearly as could be judged by the firemen, originated on the fifth floor. At no time was there any blaze to be noticed, dense volumes of specks preventing the firemen from certifier. of smoke preventing the firemen from getting through several floors. The Ryan Drug comthrough several floors. The Ryan Drug com any, next door to the fire, will be damaged about \$30,000, wholly by water and smoke The company carries a stock valued at \$150, 600, which is fully insured. Mr. Schurmeyer, of Foote, Schulze & Co,

of \$250,000 or \$300,000. The insurance on their stock would be about \$270,000, or perhap \$290,000. The probability was at 10 o'c this morning that the machinery used in factory on the two upper floors and also vance a theory as to the origin of the fire. J. Watson Brothers & Hyndman place the entire insurance on the building, the amount be-

on the machinery in the manufacturing de-

partment.
The stock of Foote, Schulze & Co., wholly wrecked, that which is not burned being soaked with water. A fire wall, which separated Foote, Schulze & Co.'s from the Ryan drug company prevented the fire from spreading into that portion of the building occupied by the latter firm. Their stock is badly soaked, but the firm does not anticipate the figures will go above the sum first men-

St. Albans, Vt., February 13 .- Fire broke out about midnight in St. Albans hospital.

The hospital was completely gutted, and two out of eight patients were stillocated. The fire was discovered in a closet in the kitchen and speedily got beyond control. There was no male present. No special provisions had been made against fire. been made against fire.

The Tally-Sheet Forgery.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, February 13.—The hearing in the tally sheet forgery case adjourned early today owing to the unavoidable absence of witnesses. There were three persons examined. W. W. Wiek ham testified that on the night of February first, he saw Isaac R, Hill at the union depot in this city in close, consultation with the two Montgomery, one of whom is detendant in this case. This is the first evidence had that Hill has been in the vicinity of Columbus recently. Captain J. C. Donaldson. of Washington, D. C. gave an account of wagers he had made in Columbus with Hill on Study night, when the forgeries were supposed to have been committed in 1885. This was on the standing of the legislature, Hill claiming there was one and Donaldson that there were three republicum majority. He also saw Hill in consultation with Martin on that night. Professor C. C. Howard testified to the effects of nitric acid on paper and made the point There were three persons examined. W. W. Wiek

The Cut Rate War.

CHICACO, February 13 .- The cuts made today by the warring western roads were unimp tant and not worth noting, but one is pending and will be put in tomorrow morning, which will be one of the most serious that has yet been made. The Chicago, Burlington and Qumey announces that in connection with the Burlington and Missouri they will tomorrow reduce grain rates from all stations in Nebraska and Missouri river eight cents per hundred pounds. This is done on account of the low rates made between Kansas City and St. Louis, which has the effect to divert Nebraska grain south ward to Kansas City and away from the Euring on line.

The reduction will be a heavy blow to the Iowa and Chicago trunk lines, as these roads have about twelve million bushels of grain cribbed and stored in we fern fown, which will be hurried to market at a reduced rate. The Rock Island today made the same rates to Rock Island, Molline and other Mississippi river points as are made to St. Paul. The St. Louis and Kansas City line also reduced rates between those two points to the same proportions as are made from Chicago to Kansas City.

Accupital of Sullivan. tant and not worth noting, but one is pen-

Acousttal of Sulliva BIRMINGHAM, Ala., February 13 .- [Special. The preliminary trial of Detective A.IJ. Sul the killing of Tom Ellis, editor of the Hornet, wa and, our ween the evidence was all in, they agreet to submit the case without argument. The defend ant was discharged on the ground that the killing was in self-defense. The prepr lerance of testimony was that Ellis fired the first shot. The court room shook with applanse when the decision was announced. Sullivan was warmly congratulated by his friends.

Death of a Distinguished Carolinian. Wilmington, N. C., February 13.—Colonel Duncan K. McRea, of this state, died last night in Brooklya, N. Y., aged sixty-nine. He was a distinguished hawyer, advocate and politician and was a celonel in the confederate army. When only five years old, he delivered an address of welcome to General LaFayette, when he visited Fayetteville in 1825. PEACHER'S CRIME

An Alabamian on Trial in the State of Texas.

CHARGED WITH AN AWFUL MURDER

ther-In-Law Being in Possession of Evidence Damaging to Him, He Puts Him Out of the Way.

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Augusta is a brilliant social center tonight for the
leading society people of the state. Nearly every
city in the state is represented at St. Valentine's ball city in the stato is represented at St. Valentine's ball Ladies and gentlemen are present from St. Paul to Savannah and from Boston to New Orleans. This is the seventh annual ball of the St. Valentine society, and is a brilliant success in every particular. Atlanta is well represented by Major and Mrs. Livingston Mims, Miss Gypsey McDaniel and Messrs. Dan and Pete Grant, will Inman, Cobb Jackson, Jack Curtwright, Tom Paine and S: W. Wilkes. The Emmett club, the leading social organization among the Irish citizens of Augusta, also gives its annual ball turight at the New Arlington hotel. This, too, is trilliant representative assemblage, and

THE PLAY'S THE THING.

"Lost in London" Last Night-The Cleve Work of a Clever Comedian.

in London" company, and he, together with Mr.
Beers and a number of other clever actors, furnished
three hours of pleasant entertainment to a large
audience last night.

"Lost in London" belongs to that order of melo-

"Lost in London" belongs to that order of melo-dramas which embraces the "Lights of London,"
"Shadows of a Great City," and others of that sort— plays which depend largely upon seemle effects for their strength. The story is that of the fall of the wife of a poor miner, Job Amroyd, and the hus-band's weary search for her. The play abounds in dramatic situations, but has evidently been cut so as to make room for the many specialties introduced. This, however, does not break the smoothness of the story.

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As Job Amroyd, Mr. Newton Beers gave a very good performance. He is a conscientious young actor, who gives evidence in his acting of the possession of intelligence, force and the desire to do his best at all times. Of his support in the play proper, Mr. Sam Bermard and Miss Jennie Saterlee deserve especial attention. Mr. Bernard is very good as "Blinker," a London tigor, and his Joe, the street sweeper, is a clever bit of acting. Miss Saterlee makes an exceedingly/good Lancashireflass. Mr. Beers states that Miss Jessite Lee Randolph, who is Mrs. Beers, had been quite ill early in the evening, and her work last night was far from her usual standard.

So much for the play projer.

It is safe to say that everybody present enjoyed the special features better than they did the rest of the play. Sam Bernard is excuciatingly funny in his specialties and kept the house fin a roar of laughter all the time that he was on the stage. The ballet, under the leadership of M'lle Teresina Carlotta, is the best that has been seen here in a long time. It is not large, but the girls look young and pretty and dance beautifully. M'lle Carlotta is certainly an expert. The pan-pipe singers sang some pretty songs.

Matinee this afternoon at 2:20. The engagement

J. S. Murphy. This typical Irish comedian will visit Atlanta next Wednesday and Thursday at night and matinee, and will appear in two of Marsden's best Irish comedies, "Kerry Gow" and "Shaun Rhue." All those who love a few hours of Irish wit and fun will go and see that favorite comedian, the best

"There are many strong situations which add "There are many strong situations which add much to the success of the plece, but the one great attraction, the particular star, in his own peculiar firmament, is the character of La ry Donovon, who keeps the audience almost continually in laughter, and Shaun Rhue, "who came down thirty-two miles" is a faithful portrayal of the "Far Down," and the rich brogue is as natural as can be found in all Ireland. Mr. Murphy is a pleasing comedian; he gives his audience all the bright side of his character."

A Happily Ended Little Episode Ont on Marietta Street.

Saturday afterneon about 1 o'clock, Hon. Milton A. Candler stalked into Judge Tanner's office, and just behind him came a young lady and two gentlemen. One of the gentlemen was the young lady's brother and the other was a life-long friend of the young lady's family.

Mr. Candler stepped in front of the judge and deliberately drew from his pocket an official-looking paper, closely written, and handed it to Judge Tanner.

The three sat down. The young lady bowed her head and seemed anxious to avoid notice, and from time to time the other members of the party would glance at the flushed and handsome face of the young lady, and then look thoughtfully away.

But nobody spoke until the judge finished reading. A Happily Ended Little Episode Ont on

"Where's your wife?"
"At home, I s'pose. Who are you?"
"When did you marry?"
"Sunday, over at her house. Who are

"Who married you?"
"I've forgot his name. Who are you?"

A Negro Takes Possession of a Train Under

A Negro Takes Possession of a Train Under the Carshed.

Larkie Hutcheson is the name of a dangerous darky who occupied a cell at the stationhouse last night, while against his name on the state docket was entered a charge of carrying concealed weapons.

This was in addition to the plain drunk with which he is charged on the city docket.

It all happened yesterday in the union passenger depot. The darky Hutcheson was sitting on the front seat in a smoking car, with a cigar in his mouth, titted back with his right foot stuck through the window.

Next in front of the smoking car was the beggage ear, and both doors were open. A darky in the baggage ear happened to see the foot sticking ont through the window, and called the attention of the darkies in his car to it by the remark:

"Look at dat big foot in de window!"

The laughter and remarks that followed roused the ire of the smoking-car passenger, and, leaning over so as to get a good view of the darky in the next car, deliberately drew an enormous revolver and drew a bead on the darky who made remarks about his foot, remarking with an oath as he did so:

"I'll look after my feet if you'll look after yours. I'm goin' to fix you, anyhow!"

The baggage car was cleared in considerably less time than it takes to tell it, and it was just at this highly interesting stage of the—game that Patrolman Lynan collared the would-be desperado, took possession of his pistol, and conducted him to pelice headquarters. When he was searched, another and peculiar weapon was found in his pockets. It is nearly a sling shot. It consists of a brass globe, about one inch in diameter, filled with lead. The globe is attached firmly to a leather string which passes through a small knob on the ball, the ends being tied and forming a leather hand which passes round the back of the wist

FULL OF NEWS.

Meaning the Meeting of the Police Commissioners Last Night

CRIM'S RESIGNATION ACCEPTED,

The board of police commission o order was action upon the following resigna-

The resignation was accepted upon motion

Mr. Sam Bernard is a comedian of decided nerit—one of the best that has been seen in Atlanta ners' meals at 7 cents per meal. A PRETTY COMPLIMENT.

songs.

Matinee this afternoon at 2:20. The engagement closes with tonight's performance.

representative of the Irish character.

The Leavenworth Times had this notice of one of

A BUTCHER'S MARRIAGE.

A few questions drew from Mr. Candler the A few questions drew from Mr. Candler the information that the young lady's name was Cassandra E. Jackson, living at 25 Magnolia street, while the to-be-plaintiff was Daniel Webster Stone, at 482 Marietta street.

Quietly and quickly all necessary business was transacted and the party withdrew.

"I'll have it served as soon as I can," said Judge Tanner as they left the room.

And Sunday there was a wedding at 25 Magnolia st.

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A visit yesterday afternoon showed that 482 was formerly a butcher's stall, but it is empty now, and there is nothing to show a casual observer that Daniel Webster Stone ever lived

observer that Daniel Webster Stone ever lived there at all.

But the lady just across could tell more about him. "Stone? Why, yes—he lives with me. He boards here and is in there shaving now." "Be there in a minute," grunted a voice from the room to the right. There was nothing to do but wait. The butcher was wiping the blood from his chin as he came

"That's what I get by being in a hurry," he

PISTOL AND SLUNGSHOT.

And Captain Mercer Suspended—It is N Captain Wright and Station House Recper Joyner-Other News.

vening, and transacted some very important business. There were present Chairman English and Commissioners Martin, Stevens, Brotherton and Goldsmith. The first business after the board was called

Hongrable Board Police Commissioners: I hereby tender my resignation as captain of police, to take take effect on the 24th inst. Thanking you for past favors, I am respectfully, W. M. CRIM, Captain Police.

of Captain Brotherton.

The reports of the captains, the station house keepers and the chief were read, and bills inting to \$281.61 were approved and passed up. Of that amount it might be inter-esting to know that \$115.71 was for 1,653 pris-

Mr. Martin then laid the following resolution before the board:
The board of police commissioners having been tendered the resignation of Captain W. M. Crim, so long connected with the police force of the city of

Atlanta, be it

Resolved by this board. That we hereby comment the long correlate of Cantalan Crim for his faithfulne. Resolved by this board. That we hereby commen the long services of Captain Crim for his intifulner and efficiency, and reluctantly accept his resign tion, and tender him our sincerc wishes for succe in whatever new calling he may see fit to engage. Be it further resolved, That a copy of these resultions be furnished Captain Crim, and they be spread upon the minutes.

The motion was carried unanimously. notion was carried unanimously.

IT IS CAPTAIN JIM WRIGHT.

The question then arose as to the propriety of an immediate election to fill the vacancy The question then arose as to the propriety of an immediate election to fill the vacancy caused by Captain Crim's resignation. It was decided to elect an officer, with the understanding that his holding office was not to commence until February 24.

Mr. Martin nominated J. C. Joyner; Mr. Brotherton nominated J. M. Wright; Mr. Stevens nominated J. B. Moon; Mr. Goldsmith nominated G. W. Lyman and Captain English nominated J. A. Thompson. Each member of the board had made a nomination, and Captain English made the proposition that a compromise be made on his candidate, "Colonel" Thompson. The police officers named for the position have each a splendid record and the balloting was lively. On the fourth ballot Stationhouse-keeper Wright was chosen captain Mr. Joyner was then unanimously elected to the position of station house keeper, and to fill the position of private left vacant by Mr. Joyner, supernumerary J. W. Veal was chosen.

"Chief Connolly then stated that the depart-

chosen.

Chief Connolly then stated that the department had need of four to six new supernumeraries, and R. M. West, A. P. Baldwin, J. A. Lynan, T. C. Ryan, add Ed Walton were

chosen supernumeraries.

AGAINST CAPTAIN MERCER.

The chief was then ordered to read the charges against Captain Mercer. The charge was as follows:

"Violating rule 31. Specification: In this that the said J. L. Mercer, a captain of police force, and at the time being on duty, did maltreat and use innecessary violence to a prisoner. All this in the city of Atlanta, Ga., on the 13th day of December. 1887.

A. B. CONNOLLY, Chief Police."

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A. B. CONNOLLY, Chief Police."

Captain Mercer plead not guilty. The rule
31 referred to is section 589 of the city code,
and reads:

"No member of the police force shall wilfully
maltreat or use unnecessary violence to a prisoner.

"No member of the bolice force shall wilfully maltreat or use unnecessary violence to a prisoner or a citizen. He must never use his club or fitzearms except in most urgent cases of self-defense."

The violation referred to was in the case of a prisoner named Divine, about the 10th of last December. Captain Couch Stationhouse-keeper Foute, Patrolman McCullough, Mr. James Malloy, Mr. J. H. Griffin and Mr. Julian Varnadoe were called as witnesses on the side of the city, while Patrolman C. M. Hudson, Detective Buchanan, J. A. Lynan and Guest were witnesses for the de-Hudson, Detective Buchanan, J. A. Lynan and Guest were witnesses for the defense. The testimony of all showed that Divine was arrested by Patrolman McCullough, who was afterwards joined by Captain Mercer. The prisoner from the first resisted being carried to the stationhouse, biting, kicking and striking. On the way to the stationhouse Captain Mercer struck the prisoner a light blow with his stick, but his action in this respect was not criticised. After the stationhouse was reached, the prisoner's arms were turned loose. He was drunk, undoubtedly, but testimony varied as to how far the prisoner's intoxication prevented his doing injury. As soon as the prisoner was released, he nut himself in

as the prisoner was released, he put himself in an offensive attitude, and cursed Captain Mer-cer in a vile manner. Then the captain struck the prisoner. Blood poured from the wound, and the prisoner was locked up. The testimony of Messrs, Malloy and Griffin differed very materially from that of the other winesses as how the blow was and Griffin differed very materially from that of the other witnesses as how the blow was struck, whether with one hand or two, the amount of blood that flowed, the language used, and as to the danger that might have been apprehended from the prisoner's position and actions. The question simply was the blow in the stationhouse struck because Captain Mercer was cursed, or because he was compelled to do so in actual self-defense. And upon that very noint there was most difference

npon that very point there was most difference in the testimony. After all the witnesses had been examined they were released, and further action was deferred until the secret session. A short recess was taken, after which

was brought before the beard for their deciswas brought before the beard for their decision.

About April, 1887, C. Gardner, colored, gave bonds for carrying concealed weapons. A negro woman named Lessie Davis furnished as additional security \$35, which she handed to Mr. W. T. Moyers, which he in turn, handed to Stationhouse-keeper Foute, who took therefor a receipt in Lessie Davis's name. Dr. Foute signed the receipt without noticing the name, supposing that the money came from Gardner. Afterwards he surrendered the \$35 to Mr. Moyers upon an order from Deputy Sheriff Wilson, as a new bond had been made out. Mr. Moyers had been paid his fee, and could not have secured an order for the \$35, except upon the representation that he was attorney Mr. Moyers had been paid his fee, and could not have secured an order for the \$35, except apon the representation that he was attorney for Lessie Davis. Dr. Foure held Mr. Moyer's receipt for that amount. Now the woman testified that she had been to Mr. Moyers's repeatedly and that he offered to compromise for \$19, but she wanted it all. If Mr. Moyers, as it seemed, was the woman's attorney, then the payment to Mr. Moyers was equivalent to a payment direct to the woman. Leaving the question in equity aside, if Mr. Moyers was not acting as attorney, then Dr. Foute was responsible even though he acted in good faith throughout.

CAPTAIN MERCER SUSPENDED.

The board then went into secret session which lasted until 11:30.

It then become known that Captain Mercer had been suspended from the force for ten days. The action created a great deal of comment. The sentence was as light as could possibly have been inflicted, which shows that the board followed the strict construction of the law only so far as they were compelled to do so.

Action in Dr. Foute's case was deterred until the next meeting.

The disposition made of Captain Mercer's case and Captain Crim's resignation formed topics for carnest discussion among the policemen last night and the interest felt in these matters is by no means confined to the policemen. Captain Crim is one of the most popular and efficient officers that was ever on the force, and the general regret among the men, as expressed last night, was a worthy tribute to a brave officer.

During Captain Mercer's suspension, Station-house-keeper Jeyner is acting captain.

This lecture shows the relation of fun to in-

### WALKS AND TALKS.

Collector Crenshaw said yesterday: "I heard something of the Blaine letter while I was in Washington. The impression there is that while Blaine will not be a candidate for the nomination Biame will not be a candidate for the nomination he will name the man who will get the nomination and that man will be Sheridan. The idea seemed to be that the republican party can unite on Sheridan and that he can rally the soldier vote against Cleveland because of his voto of the pension bill. It was claimed that neither Sherman nor Conkling would be available men, because the Blaine forces are dead against them."

A gentleman at the capitol remarked yester A gentleman at the capitol remarked yesterday: "I think that every private corporation which gets a bill before the legislature ought to be required to deposit \$50 in the state treasury before any action is taken on the bill to detray the expenses of printing the bill and putting it through the two houses. No general interest attaches to these private corporation bills, and they are of no general benefit in the state, and yet the state now pays the expense of printing and getting them through the legislature. It would seem just and proper for those who get these bills np—the persons at interest—to pay their way in the legislature. It costs the state something to have four thousand copies of each private corporation bill printed."

"Job's Vision" is the climax to "Lost in London — the last grand tableau in fact, Job dreams that he sees beautifully formed angels mounted upon beautifully fashioned pedestals, with the usual accompaniment of spangles and red fire-and the girls, podal extremities, pedestals, spangles and red fire arm all there

and red fire are all there.

"How pretty! Job certainly dreams better than he acts," was the brilliant remark which fell from the lips of one of Atlanta's brilliant men as the curin rose on this scene.

The dream was beautiful. A private letter from General Lawton, minister to Austria, to his friends, speaks kindly about the courtesy and cordiality shown him by the about the courtesy and corollahy shown him by the high Austrian officials of the diplomatic corps. The court festivities at Vienna are crowded into the five or six weeks preceding Lent. General Lawton writes that, while he fully appreciates his present

surroundings, he is more than ever before attached to the institutions of his own country. What has become of the prohibition paper? The stewards of the Methodist churches of the city met at Trinity church last might for the purpose of considering the condition of Emory col-lege. President Hopkins addressed the meeting.

LYNCH'S ALLEY

Represented in Court Yesterday-It Will Be Represented Today Again.

Lynch's alley went wild last Saturday night. In fact, the alley is never a very quiet place and here lately it has been in a state of chronic turbulence that culminated in an all-around departs are the statement of the

turbulence that culminated in an all-around drunk last Saturday night.

The telephone bell kept ringing, and finally Call Officer Green responded, picking up Patrolman Abbott on the way, and together the officers made their way through the filth and confusion to the "head quarters."

That's where Sallie Green and Rosa Sims live—the most notorious denizens of that notorious alley. orious alley.

The officers knocked, and the confusion stopped instantly, as some one asked in male voice:

"Who's that?"
"Me," said Officer Green, as he opened the The two women recognized the officers in-The two women recognized the officers instantly. One of them made a grab at the chimney, but only succeeded in getting hold of the chimney. This was broken. The door was open, and in the flickering light the room presented a weird spectacle. In the room with the two negro women were two white men, named Dudley and Skinner. The women cursed and swore in a fearful manner, while one of the men erawled under the bed, and the other hid in the shadow of the chimney.

The tirade was kept up until the women were ont of breath, when they suddenly changed their tactics, and professed willingness to go. When the stationhouse was reached, both were locked up. The charges were disorderly and immoral conduct against all except Rosa Sims, against whom there was an additional charge of using profane and vulgar language.

That ended the racket at headquarters for

gar language.

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Yesterday the party appeared in police court to answer the charges against them.

In the language of Joe, the janitor, "Dey cussed out de court," and the trial was postponed until today. The court room presented a scene of confusion such as is seldom seen there, and the language in Lynch's alley was accurately reproduced, to the great discomfiture of the availant recorder.

accurately reproduced, to the great discomfiture of the excellent recorder.

He couldn't stand it. The women were taken from the room, and Captain Wright

wrote in big letters:
"Rosa Sims—Disorderly conduct, using pro-fane and vulgar language in the stationhouse."
"Salife Green—Public indecency."
"Humph," sald the latter named damsel last night with an eath, "b'lieve I'll cuss 'em out

A SCHOOL TEACHER ON TRIAL

Paper.

Chattanoga, Tenn., February 13.—
[Special.]—Today was the time fixed for Mayor Nicken to render his decision in the case of Mrs. Moore, one of the teachers in the public schools, who was charged with brutally whipping little Judge Elliott, one of her pupils. Mrs. Moore is under bond, and, as the grand jury is in session, the mayor withheld his decision, preferring to allow the case to go before that body at once. The little boy has been under a physician's care ever since the whipping was administered.

A charter was applied for to-day by Rufus Christopher, I. B. Merfam, H. C. Beck and others for the organization of a stock company to publish a republican daily newspaper. The name of the newspaper will probably be the Chattanoga Journal: An effort will be made to purchase the associated press franchise belonging to the Commercial. For Brutally Whipping a Pupil-A New

TOO DRENK TO RUN. seven Miners Perish in the Flames-A Baby

Thrown from a Window.

WIEKESBARRE, February 13.—At Silver Creek, 8 miles south of Hazleton, J. S. Wentz & Co.. operate two large collieries. On Sunday a party of Hungarians went from there to Hazleton to attend the dedication of a new Palice Catholic church. day a party of Hunganians went from there to Hazleton to attend the dedication of a new Polish Catholic church. All were drunk when they returned home in the evening. When they returned home in the evening. When they got to the house of a man named Maulick, they indulged freely in whisky and beer. Maddened by drink they engaged in a fierce fight and according to the story of one of the men, while this fight was in progress a lighted lamp was overturned and exploded and in a short while the room was enveloped in flames and clothes of those present were set on fire. The doors were found to be locked. In their drunken condition some of them either did not know what to do or were unable to climb out of the windows, and remaining in the room and perished in the flames. Five of the men and one girl were burned alive. Maulick and his wife were also badly burned and will die. Mrs. Maulick threw her baby out of one of the windows to save it from the flames, but in falling it was fatally injured. Peter Manski was terribly burned about the upper portion of his body, and his injuries will prove fatal. Half a dozen others whose names are not known, were badly injured by jumping out of windows. The house was an old one constructed entirely of wood and burned so rapidly that in less than half an hour it was totally consumed.

Kansas City's Population. Augusta, February 13.—[Special.]—Mr. J.
W. Ryckman, of Kansas City, says he is wrongly
quoted in The Constitution as saying Kansas City
has 98,000 inhabitants, when it should be 198,000,
and that his home is stated as St. Louis, when it
should be Kansas City. He declares himself delighted with Augusta, and predicts great success for
our exposition.

"Consumption Can Be Cured." Dr. J. S. Coates, Owensville, Chio, says. "I have given Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites to four patients with better results than seemed possible with any remedy. All were hereditary cares of Lung disease, and advanced to that stage when Coughs, pain in the chest, frequent breathing, frequent puise, fever and Emaclation, all these cases have incremed in weight from 16 to 22 pounds, and are not now needing any medicine,"

### THEY WERE STOPPED.

Railroads.

THE ATLANTA AND FLORIDA HALTS, Beause of An Engine On the S., G. and N A. Which Stops the Progress of , the Construction Party.

The Atlanta and Florida railroad author i ties were considerably excited last night.

A contest with the Savannah, Griffin and

North Alabama railroad is imminent. The construction party of the Atlanta and Florida has been working for some time past

and Florida came in the shape of a telegram from the engineer in charge of the con-struction party, who telegraphed: "Have been struction party, who telegraphed: "Have been stopped at S. G. and N. A. crossing; one of their engines on crossing. What shall I do?"

Last night one of the officers of the Atlanta and Florida said: "We are very much surprised at this turn to affairs. Our charter gives us the distinct right to cross S. G. and N. A. track at a grade, and in addition to this we entered into an agreement with General Manager Belknap, of that road, and have his written agreement that we shall cross. A few days ago the engineer of that division of their road said that he was going to stop our construction party when we got to the proposed crossing, but we did not think hands for that time. We have been laying about a mile of track a day, rushing the work

"But what will you do?" "The delay can only be temporary as we have the undoubted right under our charter to cross the other road. We shall endeavor to In the Music Hall of the Atlanta Female ties of the S. G. & N. A., but if we can not we will leave the matter to the courts to settle. Some of the officers of the Atlanta and Florida were not in the city last night, but others were in conference with Colonel N a Hammond for the purpose of deciding just

nied by General Manager Harris and Chief come out all right in a day or so.

Colonel Russell H. Conwell, the pastor of the Park avenue Baptistchurch, Philadelphia, Pa., will lecture at Trinity church this evening at 8 o'clock. He was for several years the war correspondent in Europe and the east, of the New York Tribune. He is one of the best informed men of the time, and as a lecturer has no superior on the American platform. He is the most celebrated Baptist minister in the state of Pennsylvania. Before an addience he is a host, eloquent, humorous, magnetic; he unites within himself all the qualities of the great speaker. Tickets are on sale at Wilson & Bruckner's, at J. M. Miller's, at George Muse's and at Chamberlin & Johnson's.

Glenny & Violett's Circular. NEW ORLEANS, February 13 .- [Special.] The market opened with a better tone in Liverpool and New York, and our market responded with an and New York, and our market responded with an advance in the first half hour of five to six points, a very steady feeling prevailing. New York declined somewhat, and during the balance of the day our advance was lost, but the closing is very steady, supported by a firm closing in Liverpool and an active demand for spots here, resulting in larger sales than for some weeks past. The general sentiment seems favorable to cotton now, and a healthy tone is the result. The market closedessy. March, 99 ac. 91. April 10. 06040.01: May 10. 10a.11; June 1.

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dose. Purely vegetable. Price 25 cents. GARTES MEDICIDES CO., Proy'rs, New York. BAR FIXTURES. The Huss Bros. Co., 129 West 2d street, Cincinnati, Ohio,

A Small Sized War Between Two OPERA

MONDAY AND TUE-DAY, TUESDAY,
February 13 and 14. MATINEE 2:30.

in Spalding county. Last evening the work-men reached Creswell, where the road is to cross the Savannab, Griffin and North Ala-bama, and found the way blocked by an engine. The engineer in charge refused to give any reason for the obstruction, other than that he had been ordered to place his engine there and keep it there until further orders. The first intimation of this state of affairs eceived by the authorities of the Atlanta

what to do. Colonel Dunn, president of the road, accom-Engineer Collier, were down the road yester day and did not return until late last night. Colonel Dunn said to a Constitution reporter last night that he found no real trouble. He understood that the authorities of the other road were anxious to have a contract from the Atlanta and Florida by which the latter would agree to put in a certain kind of crossing, to keep it in good repair, and so forth. "We are perfectly willing to do this," said Colonel Dunn, "and I think everything will

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We first Tuesday in March next, within the legal hours of sale, the following property, to wit: All that tract or parcel of hand situated, lying and being in the city of Atlanta, Gerria, in the lith district of originally Henry, now fulton county, known in the subulyision of the Bradley property, as for number six (6), fronting forty-nine and eleven hundredths (49 H-100) feet on the west side of Randolph street, and running back one hundred and twenty-six and a half (425%) feet, same width. Sold as the property of Ralph Hill, late of said county, deceased, for distribution to the legatoes of said Hill, by virtue of his last will and testament. Terms cash.

Feb 7,14,21,28 W. M. BRAY, Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE, ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE,

GERHA, FULTON COUNTY.—BY VIRTUE
Of an order of the court of ordinary of Fulton
county, granted at the February term, 1888, of said
county, granted at the February term, 1888, of said
county on the first Tuesday in Merch next, within
the legal nours of saie, the 'o'lowing property, to-wit:
A certain lot or parcel of land in the third ward' of
the city of Atlanta, county and state aforesaid,
commencing at the cerner of Love and Terry streets,
running south sixty feet, thence east seventy feet,
thence north sixty feet, thence west seventy feet,
thence north sixty feet, thence west seventy feet,
thence north sixty feet, thence west seventy feet to
beginning point; part of land set 54, originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, the same being the
property of Mary Burden, deceased, sold for the
purpose of paying the debts due by said estate,
feb 7 14 21 28 mar 6

Administrator.

ATLANTA, - - GEORGIA, Retaff Dealer in Foreign and Domestic Liquors.

NOTICE. DURSUANT TO AN ACT OF THE GENERAL AS-sembly of the state of Georgia, approved Octo-ber 24, 1887, chartefing the "Manufacturer's Insur-ance Munual Aid Society," the understance derpor-ators are authorized to call a meeting for the pur-

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NEW YORK STOCKS. Stocks as Reported at the New York Stock

NEW YORK, February 13.—The week at the stock exchange opened with a very dull market, in which transactions possessed little interest, except to traders and scalpers. What lit le news there was was learly and a properly beginning to the properly and the state of the state of the scale of th to traders and scalpers. What he have there was was bearish and a general bearish feeling prevalled, especially in the carly portion of the day. The usual flood of rate cutting advices were missing, but news from the west was scarcely less discouraging, though heaviest pressure from the bears was directed against Vanderbilt, Canada, Southern and Lake Shore being affected most. Transactions in remainders of the list was generally of a scalping order and ed against Vanderbilt, Canada, Southern and Lake Shore being affected most. Transactions in remainder of the list was generally of a scalping order and fluctuations were confined to the nerrowest limits. Coal stocks were comparatively firm, and Reading, toward the close, showed considerable strength, but others, with the exception of Lackawanna, were dull and featureless. Milwaukee, Lake Shore and Western preferred was again weak, on a very limited business, but at the close showed largest decline for the day—¾ per cent. The opening was very dull and heavy, and further losses were sustained in the early trading, which, however, were generally for small fractions. The movement was not of long duration, however, although a declining tendency was noticeable throughout greater part of the day. But the market became intensely dull after the first hour and a few changes in the quotations were made. A better tone appeared late in tions were made. A better tone appeare1 late in the day, however, and the close was dull! ut firm at the near opening. The net result of the day's business is that almost everything is fractionally

E :change dull but firm at 485@487. Money easy at 20c.2\(\frac{1}{2}\), closing offered at 2. Subtreasury balances: Coin \$1.00,744,000; currency, \$11.631,000. Governments dull but steady to firm; 4s 125\(\frac{1}{2}\), 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)s 107\(\frac{1}{2}\). State

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THE COTTON MARKETS.

ATLANTA, February 13, 1888. Net receipts for 2 days 28,762 bales, against 26,66 bales last year: exports 26,798 bales; last year 46,352 bales; stock 882,400 bales; last year 800.527 bales. Below we give the opening and closing quotations of cotton futures in New York today:

Opening. 0.57@10.60 10.51@10.55 10.60@10.61 ..10.65@...... ..10.70@.10.71 ..10.75@..... ..10.81@.10.82 ..10.82@.10.84 ..10.85@.10.87 10.65@..... 10.71@10.72 10.77@10.78 10.79@10.80

Closed easy; sales 74.100 bales.

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East Tennessee, Va. and Ga. Railroad	10	
Georgia Pacific Railroad	5	
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Total	99.870	
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NEW YORK. February 13—C. L. Green & Co., in their report on cotton futures today, say: The market has been slightly irregular, but on the whole the undertone was tame, and the principal feature was the apparently difficult task experienced in preventing a further shading on values. Nothing of importance came from abroad. The crop movement was full enough to check the buying score, and after the filling of a few early orders at 2@3 points advance, rates took a downward turn and settled off 6@7 points from the lighest, with the close barely steady The larger operators did not take any very active part in the day's deal beyond an occasional effort to peg against a decline.

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NEW YORK, February 13.—[Special.]—From Hubbard, Price & Co., through John S. Ernest: The market has been unexpectedly quiet today and business comparatively small. Prices have had a downward tendency, as the accumulated holdings of the past few days were thrown over by the local operators, who are disappointed by the lack of cutside inierest in the market. The opening was at about closing quotations, and subsequently there was a slight improvement, but the policy of the leaders being apparently against any advance at the moment, the offerings caused an easier feeling and prices could not be held. There appears a slightly increased inquiry from continental sources, but the temper of the market is bearish. The heavy receipts at the ports and the probability that mardigns at New Orleans tomorrow will bring large receipts, closing prices easy. Liverpool has shown a good feeling, but local influence proved too much for the market.

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LIVERPOOL, February 13 — 12:15 p. m.—Cotton steady and in fair demana; middling uplands 5½, middling Orleans 59:16; sales 10,000 bales; speculation and export 100: receipts 17,000 p. American 7:400; uplands low middling clause February and March/delivery 5 8-84; March and April delivery 6 36-84; April and May delivery 5 37-84; May and June delivery 5 39-84; June and July delivery 5 44-64; July and August delivery 5 42-64; a 12-84; a 12

543-64, sellers; August and September 544-64, sellers; futures quiet and steady.

LIVERPOOL. February 13—4:00 p.m.—Uplands low middling clause February delivery 5:34-64, buyers; Pebruary and March delivery 5:36-64, value; Abril and May delivery 5:36-64, value; Abril and May delivery 5:36-64, value; Abril and May delivery 5:46-64, sellers; June and July delivery 5:46-64, sellers; June and July delivery 5:46-64, sellers; July and August delivery 5:44-64, sellers; August and September delivery 5:44-64, sellers; September deliv

NEW YORK, February 13—Cotton quiet; sales 34 files middling uplands 10%; middling Orleans 10%; trecipts 1,255 gress 12,027; consolidated net rejust 1,245; exports to Great Dillain 9,180; to care 470; to continent 4,309; stock 2,610. GALVESTON, February 1.—Cotton firm; mildling

NORFOLK, February 2 — Cotton steady; middling 10 1-16; net receipts 1,548 bailes; gree 1,548; stock 40,568; cales 329; exports constwise 1,122.

BALTIMORE, February 13—4 otton nominal; middling 164; cale receipts none bales; gross 1,6,7; sales none; stock 21,316; s.1 s to spinners —; exports construction 270.

BOSTON, February 13—Cotton quiet; middling 104; net arecipts 121 bales; gross 1,954; sales none; stock none; exports t i Great Britain 3, 54; none; exports the Great Britain 3, 50.
WILMINGTON, February 13.—Cotton firm; midding 10; not receipts 317 bales; gross 317; sales none; stock 11,006.
PHILADELPHIA, February 13.—Cotton quiet; midding 1034; net receipts 1 bales; gross 1; sales none; stock 51. SAVANNAH, February 13—Cotton steady: middling 9 1.4-1c; net receipts 1,159 bales: gross 1,1.5, sales 100; stock 72.664; exports constwise 1,560.

NEW ORLEANS, February 13—Cotton firm; middling 9 12-46; net receipts 6,129 bales; gross 6,480; sales 4,100; stock 328,244; exports to Great Britain 4,200.

4.724.
MOBILE, February 12—Cotton steady; middling 9 15-16; net receipts 742 bases; gross 750; sales 5(0; stock 39,774; exports coastwise 6-4. MEMPHIS, February 13 - Cotton firm; middling 95; net receipts 3,021 bales; shipments 1,0.5; sales 300; stock 124,141. 306; stock 124,141.

A DGUSTA, February 12—Cotton steady; middling 9 15-16; net receipts 2/8 bales; shipments—; sales 7.30. CHARLESTON, February 13—Cotton firm; middling 10%; net receipts 1,674 bales; gross 1 67; sales none; stock 31,670; exports 1 continent 4,200.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Features of the Speculative Movement in Grain and Produce. Special to The Constitution. CHICAGO, February 13—The sensation in spec lative cereals today was a reduction by the elevator companies in storage charges from 15% to 9% per bushel per annum. The effect of the withdrawal of this burdensome weight on trade was thein media appreciation in values on change. May wheat opened at \$1\%, against Saturday's closing of \$1\%. Trading, however, was not heavy, the crowd being disposed to wait for the visible supply statement, which, when announced, showed a decrease of \$00,000 bushels—considerably more than was expected. As the session advanced a good buying movement was developed, especially by exporters, and May sold up to \$15\(\xi\_0\), but for the greater part of

and May sold up to \$126, but for the greater part of the session was steady around \$136. Corn was influenced mainly by wheat. May opened at 5126 and advanced to 5126. Trading was good as the day advanced, but there was no further improvement in values. The announcement that the estimated receipts for tomorrow were 345 cars and an increase of 475,000 bushels in the visible sup-ply broke May at one time to 51½c, but there was a subsequent recovery to 51½c, at which figure the market was steady for some time.

Oats were traded in quite briskly early, May op-tion especially being in demand, but late in the ses-sion the market ruled quiet. Prices were 1/4c better, May closing at 313/4c. Provisions opened stronger and a shade higher in sympathy with grain and a slight advance in hogs. Lard and short ribs were 5c lower, but a slight rally

occurred before the close. The following was the range in the leading futures in Chicago today: WHEAT-Highest. 47 47 511/2 Narch ... May...... OATS 51% 313/4 31% PORK-...14 40 14 40 14 271 LARD-7 671/2 7 45 7 45 7 6234

The British Grain Trade LONDON, February 13.—The Mark Lane Express says: Native wheats have been freely delivered. The ondition improves, but values continue to decline Sales, English, during the week, 54,585 quarters a 33 shillings 5 pence, against 30,805 quarters at 33 shillings and 6 pence during the corresponding period last year. Hour dull; foreign wheat depressed. Imports increase, and stocks are heavier than ever known. At Liverpool prices declined 1d per cental.
Corn weaker. One cargo of wheat arrived, two sold one withdrawn, one remained. At today's market wheat was slow. English was offered 6d lower. For eign about maintained last week's prices. Flour quiet. 3 pence cheaper. Oats dull

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE ATLANTA, February 13, 1833. Flour. Grain and Meal. ATLANTA, February 13—Flour—Best patent \$5.50 extra tancy \$5.25; fancy \$4.75; extra family \$4.50 ATLANTA. February 13—Flour—Best patent \$5.50; extra lancy \$5.25; fancy \$4.75; extra family \$4.50; choice family \$4.25; family \$4.06; extra \$8.75. Wheat — New Tennessee \$56,87c; new Georgia \$5. Rnan-Large sacks \$1.20; small \$1.20. Corn Meal—Plain 50; bolted 75c. Pea Meal—90c. Grits—\$4.25. Corn—Choice winter 7tc; No. 2 white Teanessee 72c; No. 2 mixed 70c. Oats—No. 2 mixed 47c. Hay—Choice timothy, large bales \$1.10; mall bales \$1.10; No. 1 large bales \$1.10; small bales \$1.10; clover 95c; wheat straw baled 80c. Peas—Stock—NEW YORK, February 13—Flour, southern in moderate demand; commonto fair extra \$3.30,68\*1.0; good to; choice \$4.10,685.00. Wheat, options opened \$4,60.26; chigher, Luf s.on weakene i and lost most of 11 e advance, closing steady at a trific above the bottom with speculation very modera.c; spot a shade higher and more active for export: No. 2 red February \$96.8914; March 894/630 1-16; May 9134/620; Corn, options advanced a trific and spot \$4.60; closing steady after a light trade; No. 2 February \$1.00; March 50.9c. doubt 10.25; May 50.9c. closing steady after a light trade; No. 2 February \$1.00; March 50.9c. doubt seas active; mixed western 30.641; No. 2 March and May 384. Hops in light demand; state \$6.14; California 66 12. BALTIMORE, February 13—Flour quiet and steady; Howard street and western superfine \$2.37682.55; extra \$3.00,883.75; Rio brands \$4.756. \$5.00. Wheat, southern steady and quiet; western higher but dull; southern' red 90.695; amber 94.697; No. 1 Maryland—; No. 2 western winter red spot 897; No. 1 Maryland—; No. 2 western winter red spot 897; No. 1 Maryland—; No. 2 western winter red spot 897; Yellow 366574.

ST. LOUIS, February 13—Flour quiet, Weatclosed

ass. Corn, southern quiet but firme; white 576354; yellow 36574.

ST. LOUIS, February 13—Flour quiet. Wheat closed 3c below Saturday; No. 2 red tall cash 80%, March 3c lower; No. 2 mixed cash 45%, March 45% bid: May 46%6 46%. Oats, No. 2 mixed cash 43%, as 10 lows; Flour steady; winter wheat \$3.90634.35; spring wheat \$3.4064.25; spring patent \$3.50634.35; spring wheat \$3.4064.25; spring patent \$3.50634.35; spring wheat \$3.4064.25; spring patent \$3.50634.35; spring wheat \$3.4064.25; spring patent \$3.50634.80, No. 2 spring wheat 766.73%. No. 2 casts 286.25%.

CINCINNATI, February 13—Flour quiet; family \$3.46638.36; fancy \$3.00634.00. Wheat in fair demand; No. 2 red 87. Corn in light demand; No. 2 mixed 33%.

LOUISVILLE, February 13—Grain quiet. Wheat, No. 2 red 82; long berry — Corn, No. 2 mixed 52%; do, white — Oats, new No. 2 mixed 35; do, white —

No. 2 red 82: fonguerry — Corn. No. 2 mixed 52/4; do. white — Oats, new Nor 2 mixed 35; do. white — Groceries.

ATLANTA, February 13—Coffee—Firm; in goo'l demand. We quote: Choice 22e; prime 21e; good 20c; fair 10c; slow grade 19c. Sugar — Cut loaf 8c; powdered 8c; standard granulated 72/c; standard 3c; powdered 8c; standard granulated 72/c; standard 72/c; extra 50/c; powdered 8c; standard granulated 62/c; common 20/25. Teas—Black 33/60c; green 33/60c. Nutnegs 75c; Clores 35c. Allspice 12/c. Cinnamon 12c. 2800 50c. 6 Ginger 10c. Mace 60c. Pepper 20c. Crackers—Milk 7c; Boston butter 8c; pearl oyster 73/c; X soda 5c; XXX do. 3/c. Candy—Assorted 8tick 9c. Mackerel — No. 3 bbis 315.00; 3/c bbis 35.75; kits 80c. Soap \$2.00@85.00 \$g 100 cakes. Candles — Full weight 11c. Matches — Round wood \$g\$ gross \$1.15; \$g\$ 200 \$2.50; \$g\$ 3.50; \$g\$ 400 \$4.50. Soda—in Regs 44/c; in boxes 54/c. Rhoice 65/c; prime 6c; fair 53/c. Sait—Virginia 75c. Cheese—Cream 14c; factory 13c.

NEW OBLEANS, February 18—Coffee quiet but steady; Riceargoes common to prime 13/c, 69/c; fonice 9cl. low clarified 3 13-16; prime do. 5 11-1; off do. 3 9-166 3/c; seconds 568-5; Molasses dull; open textle fancy 38; choice 3/c/s; firstly prime 28/c/s; good fair 16/c/s fir 10 good fair 16/c/s fir ogood fair 16/c/s fir ogood fair 16/c/s fir common 25/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common 25/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common to good common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common to good common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common to good common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common to good common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common to good common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common to good common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir common to good common 18/c/s fir to good fair 16/c/s fir f

prime 4/405/4.

NEW YORK, February 13—Coffee fair Rio dull at 16; options very dull, opening 10@15 points higher, closing with the advance lost; No. 7 Rio February 13.10@18.30; March 12.56@12.70; April 12.85@12.50; May 12.25@12.40. Sugar dull and nominal; centrifugals, cost and freight, 4 1-16 for 96 test: fair to good refining 4 13-16; refined steady; C5/405/4; extra C 5/4; white extra C 5/46; yellow 5/405/4; extra C 5/4; mould A 7; standard A 5/4; confectioners A 6/4; cut loaf and crushed 7/4; powdered 7; granulated 6/4; cutes 7. Moiasses nominal; 50-test 21. Rice firm; domestic 4/405/4.

only med rately active: western steam spot 7.9.346 8.00; February 7.92.67 93; May 7.98.68.00; city steam 7.75; refined to continent 7.90.

LOUISVILLE, 2-bunry E.—Provisions quiet. Ba con, clear rib sides 90; clear sides 8.90; shoulders 7. Luik meats, clear ribsides 7.; clear sides 8.90; shoulders 7. Luik meats, clear ribsides 7.; clear sides 8.90; shoulders 7. Luik meats, clear ribsides 7.; clear sides 8.90; shoulders 8.00. Mess, ports clear 9.10. Hard, sugar-cured 11.24, Lard, choice leaf 9.3. CHICAGO, February 12—4 ash quotations were as follows: Mess pork \$1.0%, Lard, choice leaf 9%.

Shor jubs 21000s 7 406 7.4%. Dry salted shoulders boxed 6.0% ashort clear side boxed 8.0060 6.

ATLANTA, February 13—The following are ruling cash price study: Clear rib sides 8%0. Sugar-cured hams 12-1061. Lard—Pure leaf, tierces 9%6; CINCONACT. CINCINNATI, February 12—Fork quiet at \$11.90.
Lard firm at 75.20.50. Bulk meats in mir demand;
short ribs 7. 9. Bacon quiet; short ribs —; short
clear v.

WILMINGTON, February 3.—Turpentine dull at ; rosm quiet; strained 50; good strained 80; tar firm 151.15; crude turpentine firm; hard \$1.10; yellow ip \$1.10; virgin \$2.10. SAVANNAH, February 13 Turpentine firm at CHARLESTON, February 13—Turpentine firm at 3; rosin steady; good strained 59.

NEW YORK, February 18—Rosin quiet at \$1.10@
\$1.14; urrpentine dull at 30% 60.

Fruits and Confectioneries.

ATLANTA, February 13—Apples—\$3.00@\$1.25 Ptbl. Lemons—\$3.00@\$1.00. Oranges—\$3.20@\$3.50. Cocoanuts—6: Pineapples—\$2.10 ptdy. Bananas—Selected \$1.75@\$2.00; granes 75@\$125@ pts. Figs — 13@18c. Raisins — New London \$1.26; by boxes \$1.75; ½ boxes 90c. Currants—75@\$2. Leghorn citron—21c. Alnionds—19c. Pecans—10@\$14c. Brazil—10@11c. Filherts—122.c. Walmuts—13c. Dried Fruit—Sundried apples 6@8c. sundried peaches t@8c. sundried peaches t@8c. sundried peaches t@8c. sundried peaches to \$1.00. Supplementation of the control of the control

Live Stock.

ATLANTA, February 1.3—1lorses—Plug \$65690; good drive\$150@\$200; drivers \$125@\$140; fine \$250@\$200. Mules—14'4 to 15 hands \$115@\$125; 15 to 15\/4 hands \$135@\$160. nands \$13.06 \$10.0. CINCLINAAII. February 1 —Hogs strong: common and light \$4.00 @\$5.50; packing and butchers \$5.10

CINCINNATI, February 13—Whisky steady at \$1.09. ST. LOUIS, February 13—Whisky steady at \$1.09. CHICAGO, February 13—Whisky \$1.14.

Bagging and Ties. ATLANTA, February 13 Bagging 114 bs 6%c 134 bs 6%c; \$1.2bs 77%; 17% bs 7%c; 2 bs 77%c; 14 bs 8%c. Ties 1345.

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## COURT AND CAPITOL.

Happenings Yesterday in the Departments of

Nothing of special importance took place in the departments yesterday. Governor Gordon was busy with routine work all day yesterday. SEVERAL DAYS AGO GOVERNOR GORDON WAS SEVERAL DAYS AGO GOVERNOR GORDON WAS GOVERNAL DAYS AGO GOVERNOR GORDON WAS DUSY WITH FORLING WORK All day yesterday.

SEVERAL DAYS AGO GOVERNOR GORDON WAS Extended an invitation by the agricultural society of Ware county to attend the meeting of the State Agricultural society to be held at Waycross today. The governor wrote a letter to the society yesterday stating that he regretted very much that it will be impossible for him to be present, because of official duties.

The following commissions were issued at the excentive department yesterday. Upson county—J. B. Reeves notary public and exofficio justice of the peace of the 1336th district. J. S. Clary notary public and exofficio justice of the peace of the 56ist district. Effigham county—B. B. Griffin notary public and exofficio justice of the peace of the 19th district. Gilmer county—Jesse R. Holden notary public and exofficio justice of the 19th district, Gilmer county—Jesse R. Holden notary public and exofficio justice of the 193th district; John P. Evans, of the 193ts district; Levi Griffeth, of the 1135th district. Bartow county—John F. Hubbard notary public and exofficio justice of the 907th district. Bartow county—John F. Hubbard notary public and exofficio justice of the peace of the 1410th district.

A commission was also issued to Britton Williams to be sheriff of Harris county, who was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of F. M. Talley, which occurred in the early part of last month.

L. COWART WAS commissioned as justice of the peace of the 1353rd district of Coffee county, vice W. B. Babcock, resigned.

JUDGE NESEIT. OF the executive department who went down to Macon Saturday will return today.

These items were recorded in the comptroller general's office yesterday: General taxes—McIntoeb, \$526.98; Carroll county, \$713.05; Bartow county, \$1,574; Marion county, \$471.45; Forsyth county, \$394.39; insurance fees, \$74.40.

There was no news of general interest at the ustom house yesterday. The United States court will meet on Monday, the 20th of this Salt rheum, with its intense itching and

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A regular communication of Gaie City odge, No. 2, F, and A. M., will be held his evening +t7 o'clock, in Masonic Hail. York n M. M. degree. All Master Ma-ous in good standing are cordially invited o be present. By order of JOHN Z. LAWSHE, W. M. \* EUGENE HARDEMAN, Secretary.

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WHO WILL GET THE DIAMOND RING? The Raffles and the Winners - Interesting Points About the Fair.

The fair of the Atlanta Rifles will close to-

jectors ever anticipated. The company will net a considerable sum of money, which will be the nucleus of the building fund. It is believed that enough money has been made by the proposed armory.

Tonight will be the closing night, and it will

be a brilliant finale. There will be a valen-tine party, and a full dress hop. The young ladies will preside over postoffices, where young men can get any sort of valentines they want. The beauty and size of the valentine will de-pend upon the amount paid for it. Many a oung man and young lady, however, will receive a valentine without money and without price, but it will be of the comic variety. The fan-cy ones will command fancy prices. There will

be for sale a large assortment of sentimental valentines of every possible design. Some of these will cost twenly-five cents and others will cost as much as five dollars.

It is expected that tonight will be the biggest night yet. The hall will be crowded. Some of the most valuable articles will be consed at raffled tonight, and the polls will be closed at 12 o'clock. At that hour Mrs. P. H. Snook, assisted by a committee, will open the ballot boxes and count the votes and declare the result. It is expected that the voting tonight will be lively. Last night it was brisk.

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Early in the evening it was ascertained that one of the candidates was slightly in the lead. Just how many votes she was ahead could not be learned, but the fact that she was ahead stimulated her rival's backers to bestir themselves. A half dozen young men had a conference and booled their cash. One of them went to the balloting place and invested the whole amount in votes.

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This transaction did not escape the eyes of Miss Burbank's friends, who began buying ballots at a lively rate. Both young ladies had hosts of friends in the hall and the ballots fell thick and fast. Mrs. Snook was kept busy taking in the quarters and depositing the votes. The other ladies in the booth relieved Mrs. Snook and they were kept actively engaged until after midnight. Even after the dancing began the voting was kept up. The exquisite

until after midnight. Even after the dancing began the voting was kept up. The exquisite and costly diamond ring was placed on exhibition and it excited the admiration of all. Early in the evening the Atlanta Riffes' brass band began playing and gave several sprightly selections. The band has given its services gratuitously and has certainly added greatly to the success of the fair. Members of the band, in conjunction with several amateurs of the

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Last night the drilling of the Atlanta Zouaves was interesting. It was novel; nothing just like it was ever seen in Atlanta before. The squad consisted of Captain J. B. Hollis, and privates Charles Winborn, H. R. Carpenter, W. B. Hanson and Walter Dean. They were dressed in their showy new uniforms and presented an attractive appearance. They showed great proficiency in the manual of arms, and their skillful movements elicited rounds of applause.

arms, and their skillful movements elected rounds of applause.

The raffies last night were exciting and some handsome articles were won. The following is the list of the winners and the articles; W. T. Kuhn, pin cushion; Cliff Pope, sofa cushion; Lucy Blackshear, tidy; John S. Gatins, jug; Russell Richards, plaque; Mrs. Huff, salt cellar; Mr. Bowers, two pictures; Mrs. A. C. Sneed, dress suit; Miss M. Lynch, plush pin cushion; Tom Futzgerald, pair portiers.

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As this is the closing night, the managers will make the fair particularly interesting. The valentine hop will be pretty. Dancing will begin early and will continue late.

NEW STREET RAILWAY. A Few Good Points About a Much Needed

Atlanta is going to have a new street railroad. The owners of the charter for the new
road for this city have determined to
build a line from the artesian well
via the postoffice, thence up
North Forsyth, and along Church street to
Spring street, thence north along Spring to
North avenue, thence west along North
avenue to either Walton or Lackie, either of
which shall be best suited to complete the
circle. The projectors are impressed with the
belief that this will prove one
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It requires no argument to convince the people interested that such a step is necessary for advancement to its proper place of this section in our prosperous city.

Property owners along this line cannot fail to benefitted. The fifth ward is bounded on the west by a street railroad, and Peachtree street is beyond the reach of the people of that ward. It is clear that the new line must be built, and it will be as good a line as there is in the city.

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THE JURY DISCHARGED.

The Trial of G. K. Woodward Ends Unsatisfactorily for the State and the Defendant. As soon as the city court met yesterday norning, Judge Van Epps sent for the jury in the Woodward case, and asked the foreman if a verdict had been agreed upon.

A negative response was given.
"Why not?" asked the court.
"Because we cannot agree upon the facts," as the answer. 'Go back to your room again

"Go back to your room again."
The five jurors went back to the room and considered for another hour.
They were again sent for, and the foreman reported that there was no probability of a verdict being agreed upon; that the members of the jury were as wide apart as ever.
"Then, Mr. Clerk," said Judge Van Epps, "let a mistrial be entered, and the jury discharged."

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MR. JOHN L. HARDEMAN, solicitor general of the Macon circuit, is registered at the Kimball

MR. S. H. HAWKINS, of Americas, is at the HON. GEORGE C. GROGAN, of Elberton, is in

MR. JOSEPH L. FRIEDMAN, of Joseph L. man & Co., of Paducah, Ky., is a guest at the CLAUDE ESTES, of Macon, is at the Kimball. JUDGE ALEX S. ERWIN, of Athens, is regis-

Mr. H. N. FAIRBANKS, of Bangor, Maine, general agent for Maine of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company, is in the city. JAMES P. FIELD, artist, removed to Cham

AMES I. Flatter, certain, Johnson & Co's building.

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Ds. H. K. Brouse, homeopathist, has located at 183 Whitehall. Office hours 8 to 9 a. m., and 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 p. m. Hon. W. A. HEMPHILL left last night for a

MR. W. E. LUNDY, representing the large shaceo house of Thomas C. Williams, is in the city The Best and Surest Remedy in the world for all diseases with which children are afflicted during the process of teething is MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. 25c. a

THE BRAUGHT TOURNEY.

ery Day.

The Interest in the Contests Increasing Every Day.

The entries in the checker tournament closed last night. The room contained a large crowd of lovers of the game, and the trials of skill between the contestants were watched with keen interest by all. Among the spectators were visitors from other cities.

Two of the most skillfall players of the club faced each other. These were Messrs. Jenkins and Robinsón. Both stand very high, and much was expected from them. Only one game was played by them, and this resulted in a draw. Mr. Jenkins secorted an early advantage and pressed the attack with considerable vigor. The lookers-on were confident he would gain a victory over this redoubtable adversary. At a critical point two lines of play were open to Mr. Robinson. One was slow and sound, the other was brilliant and hazardous. He chose the latter. By a series of puzzling and audacious combinations he wrested the attack from Mr. Jenkins. The spectators left the other tables and huddled around this board. Finally, after some accurate end-play on both sides, the game was declared a draw.

Colonel Eldridge, the veteran from Indianapolis, made his first appearance. He was not in his best form owing to a severe coid with which he has been suffering several days. He was pitted against Mr. Hi Annes in one game and against Mr. W. H. Barnes in another. This play was not characterized by that depth and brilliancy which the high reputation he enjoys would lead one to expect. He will do much better in highert games.

Mr. Dunning, a new Richnond in the field, was so unfortunate as to lose five straight games, but he scored one victory.

The score at the close of the playing last night was as follows:

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Eldridge, 60 points out of possible 1,152; J. S.
Hall, 418 points out of possible 442; G. W.
Jenkins, 418 points out of possible 912; W. M.
Haynes, 454 points out of possible 732; W. H.
Barnes, 184 points out of possible 732; Vol
Dunning, 32 points out of possible 192.
Play will be resumed today and continue tonight.

THE CITY COURT.

Matters Disposed of Yesterday Before Judge Howard Van Epps.

The city court, Judge Howard Van Epppresiding, met yesterday morning at nine

o'clock.

The cases on the criminal docket were taken up, and several were disposed of.

C. H. Snider, the same person who a few days ago was convicted of selling alcohol to minors, was arraigned on a similar indictment. He pleaded "not guilty." He was defended by Mr. W. T. Turnbull. The testimony was substantially the same as that adduced in the first case, and the result was the same. He substantianty the same as that addition in the first case, and the result was the same. He was convicted. The charge by Judge Van Epps was in substance the same as the talk he made in Sunday's Constitution. Mr. Turnbull will move for a new trial, and if that be refused will convert the case to the supreme refused will carry the case to the suprem

A. G. Bowden was convicted of carrying concealed weapons, and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 or to go to the chaingang for three Ed Brewer was tried for carrying concealed

HE SUES FOR \$10,000.

A Fireman Wants Damages From the Rich-mond and Danville Railroad Company. Mr. Edward W. Martin yesterday filed in the office of the clerk of the superior court a suit in behalf of Charles Jarrett against the Richmond and Danyille railroad company. He wants \$10,000 damages for personal injuries sustained whilst he was discharging his duties as a fireman the 18th of December, 1887. The accident occurred at Rabun Gapianetics. The plaintiff claims that the accident was aused by the carelessness of the defendant's

SHE DESERTED HIM.

Another Suit for Divorce Filed in the Supe rior Court.

Messrs. Rhett & O'Bryan yesterday filed/in the office of the clerk of the superior court a petition for divorce, the petitioner being Benjamin F. McCay and the respondent being Julie E. McCay.

They were married the 28th of April, 1880.
After living with him four years she deserted him, the petitioner alleges. INSURANCE MONEY.

The Atlanta Glass Works Sues the Niagara Fire Insurance Company. Messrs. Haygood & Martin yesterday filed in

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CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

The Baptist ministers' conference was well attended yesterday morning. Rev. V. C. Norcross reported the ordination of Messrs. J. F. Ragsela'c, I. J. Buchanan, Tobert Strickland and W. Tribble, as deacons of the Fifth Baptist church. The presiytery consisted of Revs. W. C. McCall, J.-H. Weaver, P. A. Hughes and V. C. Norcross. Rev. C. M. Irwin was present, and made a gratifying report of his success in Mitteelli, sumfer and chaer countries in organizing associations of laymen.

Do not forget the entertainment at St. Luke's cathedral Sunday school this evening, commencing at eight o'clock. Only twenty five cents admission; children fifteen cents. It is intended that the narticipants shall thoroughly enjoy this last opportunity before Lent. The programme

speaks for itself.

Mr. R. D. Mann ticketed a party of ten cloored hotel boys to 'Fresno, Cal, yesserday. They have gone to take positions in the Grand Central hotel, at that point, which is now in charge of Thomas J. Mays, who ran the Salt Springs hotel, in this state, last season. Tirey went by the Santa Fe and "Daisy" lines,

Styteen miles south of Atlanta last night, on the Atlanta and Hawkinsville road, a fat car stached to an incoming freight tonu jumped the track, and delayed the train seve at it are. Dan-

This is return day in the superior court, and the cterks will remain in their file until ten o'clock tonight to attend to filing suits. This is done for the accommodation of the members of the bar, and it is to be hoped that they will not forget to furnish an oyster super to the hard-worked elerks.

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A great many tickets to Colonel Conwell's lecture were purchase yesterday. There will be a rush for them today. A "rich, rare and racy" treat is in store for all who attend the lecture at Trinity church this evening at eight today.

Big Excursion, 28th and 29th to Ga sien, Alabama, to attend the sale of 80 lots of the Gadsden Land and Improvement com pany. Stock of the company will be accepted payment at \$25 a share

yment at \$25 a stare.

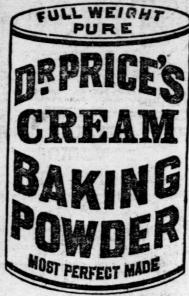
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Real Estate.

Auction sale of 18 (apitol avenue lots on Monday, March 5th, at 230 p. m. Plats out in a few days. 8-room house, close in, on Calboun street, at a bargain sud no mistake.

2-acre block nicely shaded, lays well, on Capitol avenue, just on corporate limits.

2-acre block, lays beautiful, well shaded, Washington street, on city limits.

The 100 lot sale on Washington street and Capitol avenue, will come off about ist of March.

7 large shaded lots, West End, all with water, lay beautiful, street in front and rear, at a bargain.

Large commanding lots on Boulevard, near new school lot.

Choice lots on Gartrell street.

6-room house, with servants' house, bath rooms, etc., on Pulliam street; lot 59x150; at a bargain.

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8-room house, a perfect beauty, near new capitol, a Capitol avenue. Come and see us about this

nome. New house, 7 rooms, on Ira street; large lot. Must be sold. ne sold.

10-room house, large lot, on Whitehall street. The where has directed us to sell.

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S-room new house on Pryor street; every coneniences possible; will sell; a bargain.

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and water, house new. Can and we will sell you a bargain.

2 beautiful vacant lots, on Capitol avenue, cheap.
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THAT BLAINE LETTER Stemak Still the Topic of Conversation in

Washington. ASKING FOR MORE PUBLIC BUILDINGS

For Georgia Cities-Mr. Candler Before th Ways and Means Committee—Other Gossip of the Capitol.

WASHINGTON, February 14.-[Special.]-Blaine's letter was again the topic of conversa. tion around the capitol today, and the general among democrats now seems to be that he knew no republican could be elected, and he therefore backed down at an opportune moment. The republican senators are happy, as the majority of them have a presidential bee buzzing around under their silk hats. The New York World today devoted fourteen columns to the letter, giving opinions of public men all over the country, and through the dense mass of opinions of repub licans there was a sharply marked line of division. On the one hand stand those who of the problem, while on the other the men who have no candidate but Blaine, are determined to have him nated. They seem to think a unanimous appeal would induce him to withdraw his dination, as they think the republican party cannot agree on any other candidate

whom they will harmoniously support.

The democrats are unanimously of the opinion that Blaine is the strongest man in the re-publican party, and if he only will stay out of cratic success is doubly assured.

THE TARIFF ON MARBLE. Mr. Candler appeared before the ways and means committee today and argued that the present tariff on rough marble be not interfered with. While the committee gave him no definite answer he was led to believe that his wishes would be gratified. The committee are in hopes of reporting the long-looked for tariff bill on Wednesday of next week, but are unable to say what day they will positively have it completed.

Mr. Biount was honored today by being called to the speaker's chair when the house went into committee of the whole on the deficiency appropriation bill. He is one of the handsomest and fairest-minded men in the house, and will some day probably occupy that position-at least his many admirers would be pleased to see him there.

THE DIRECT TAX BILL.

The direct tax bill, which was today reported favorably to the house by the judiciary committee, and will undoubtedly pass it, will refund to the people of Georgia \$117,982.89 of taxes collected on lands during the war; Alabama gets \$18,285; Florida, \$4,760; Mississippi, \$111,038; North Carolina, \$377,452; South Carolina, \$222,376; Tennessee, \$392,004. The entire amount to be refunded is \$17,359,685, of which the south gets \$3,695,370, while the north gets the balance. APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

The entire Georgia delegation have been in

vited to appear before the house committee on rivers and harbors tomorrow to make known their wants for Georgia's streams. "Mr. Nor. wood and delegation from Savannah and Brunswick will probably appear for the two harbors; Major Barnes for the Savannah river; Mr. Carlton for the upper Savannah, and the Oconee; Mr. Clements for the Coosa, Oostanaula and Coosawatee; Mr. Grimes for the Chatahoochee and Judge Crisp for the Flint and Mr. Clements introduced a bill today for the

appropriation of \$100,000 to erect a public building at Rome. While it has no United States court a handsome building, he claims, Mr. Carlton will tomorrow introduce a bill for a like public building at the same cost in

Athens. He will also introduce a bill asking for an appropriation sufficient to allow the engineer to survey and make an estimate of the amount needed to make the Savannah river navigable above Augusta as far up as Ander-sonville, S. C. He will also ask the river and harbor committee tomorrow for an appropria-tion sufficient to complete the work on the Occhee river as far up as Scull shoal. He has written to get the engineer's estimate of the eded. Mr. Clements last year succeeded in getting an appropriation of five to the federal cemetery in Rome, but on account of a proviso that this money should not be used on the streets of a city, he has as yet failed to get the amount, as the city of Rome extends out to this cemetery. He will tomor-row introduce a bill to set aside the proviso in order that the money may be obtained.

MINOR TOPICS. Mr. Carleton today introduced a petition from Elbert county to increase the pay of fourth-class postmasters Mr. W. A. Hemphill, of THE CONSTITUTION,

and Mr. W. E. Simmons, of Lawrenceville, Ga., are at the Metropolitan. Speaker Carlisle has relented and allowed the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies to move their office back into the main corridor of the house. They complained that

their business has been much injured by the removal to the press gallery. Mr. Riddleberger's desk was again decorated with flowers today, this time being a handsome national flag of flowers.

HAWLEY ON THE BLAIR BILL. The Senator from Connecticut Speaks

Against the Measure. Washington, February 14.-A resolution instructing the committee on commerce (in reporting the river and harbor bill) to set out important facts bearing on each item, was reported by Mr. Jones of Nevada, and agreed to.

Mr. Błackburn offered a resolution declaring it not in order (except by manimous consent) for the committee on apprentiations to report for the committee on appropriations to report to the senate for consideration or action any general appropriation bill, without having had it under consideration for ten days or more. Referred to the committee on rules.

The resolution for inquiry into the causes of inefficient mail service was taken up. Speeches attacking the postofice department were

inefficient mail service was taken up. Speeches attacking the postoffice department were made by Messrs. Plumb, Platt and Manderson, and Messrs. Reagan and Saulsbury championed the defartment. The resolution went over without action.

The Blair educational bill was then taken up as unfinished business, and Mr. Hawley addressed the senate in opposition to it. Discussing the details of the bill, and commenting upon its requirement to report to the secretary of the interior on the school system of cach state, he said that the only response which the governor of Connecticut could give to such demand was, "I have the honor to refer you to the history of this commonwealth for the last 150 years to show you that it never has been in the habit of reporting to anyone how we treat the people of this state."

In summing up his argument, Mr. Hawley said:

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In summing up his arguments, as the cause "In my judgment, this bill, glorious as the cause is, fascinating as the arguments in favor of education always are—is a bill creeping in to control interests, which from Plymouth rock up to this day, have been under local control, and wisely so. It is a bill to promote mendigacy and to cultivate beggars. It is a bill designed to the supreme interests of the supreme interests of the